

## It's News Here!

### G.H.S. Band Members Win Honors

Jeff Bennett, Grayling High Band Director, announced recently that four band members had received 1st Division ratings in a District II Solo & Ensemble Festival held February 3rd in Elk Rapids. Winning top honors were Carolyn Ayers, Bob Knepp, Sue Weeber and John O'Mara. Other band members participating were Marion Matyn, Colleen Witter, Sue Prause and Shawna Waters.

Bennett also said that band members will travel to Traverse City this Saturday, February 24th, to participate in a District II Band & Orchestra Festival with Grayling's performance scheduled for 9:05 a.m. at the Central Elementary Auditorium.

The Viking band will play three arrangements a March-the Proud & the Noble, the Dedicatory Overture, a required number, and a selected piece, Chant & Jubilo. Sight reading exercises are also included.

### Rotary Club Fish Fry Friday

The famous Grayling Rotary Club Fish Fry will be served up on Friday Feb. 23 at the American Legion Hall by a group of the finest non-profit waiters ever seen in the area, said Ray Lange, President of the Club.

With such experienced men like Tony Nicholas, Pete Allen, Mike DiPonio, George Dice and Don Geiss handling the table service, it would be impossible to obtain more comfortable dining, Lange claimed. He noted that the french fries chairman John Naour and his assistant Dale Nicholas will be providing some of the most succulent potatoes this side of Maine or Iowa.

The banquet will be held from 5-8 p.m. and diners will leave the 6th Annual Fish Fry with the same satisfied feeling that all the people have experienced in the other five meals that preceded this years affair, Lange commented.

Tickets for the dinner may be obtained from any Rotary Club member at a cost of \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under 12.

### Middle Schoolers Invited To Ski

The Grayling High ski team will offer lessons and skiing supervision for Middle School students starting on Monday, February 26th. Any Middle School student who has ski equipment is invited to attend, learn about skiing and ski at Hanson Park from 4 to 6 p.m. over a two-week period. One hour of the two will be instructional with one hour left for free skiing.

The sessions will end with the Middle School Championship race, an event sponsored by the ski team.

Students interested can obtain bus transportation to the ski park from the high school at 3:30 p.m., however parents are responsible for home transportation at 6 p.m.

### Grayling Elementary Kindergarten Round-Up To Begin March 5th

Kindergarten Round-Up will be held during the week of March 5th for all children who will be five years of age on or before December 1, 1979.

The entire week of March 5th has been set aside for Round-Up of our 1979-80 Kindergarten children. Registration of children will be handled between the hours of 9:00 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 3:00 daily by appointment. To schedule your appointment please call the school office (348-7641, Ext. 46).

Please bring all immunization records and your child's birth certificate with you at the time of enrollment. During your fifteen minute scheduled appointment you will have the individual attention of Mrs. Sloan, our school nurse, to check your child's immunization records and discuss pre-school medical requirements. Mr. Nunn, the school principal, will be available to discuss all State pre-school requirements and school policies.

Early enrollment of Kindergarten children is extremely important if they are to be included in the pre-school clinics scheduled for this spring. Completion of State requirements can be easily accomplished before school begins in September by allowing us to assist you with appointments for the necessary immunizations, physical exam, and vision and hearing screening.

Please plan to contact the school regarding registration of your pre-schooler as soon as possible. We would appreciate your cooperation and will do everything possible to assist you in preparing your child for school.

### Frederic Kindergarten Round-Up

Frederic Elementary will be having Kindergarten Round-Up on March 1 and 2, 1979 from 9:00 A.M. until 3:00 P.M. each day.

This year, registration will be by appointment only. If you have a child that will be enrolling in Kindergarten this September, please call the Frederic School at 348-7641 ext. 54 to arrange for your date and time. You will also need to bring with you your child's immunization record and birth certificate.

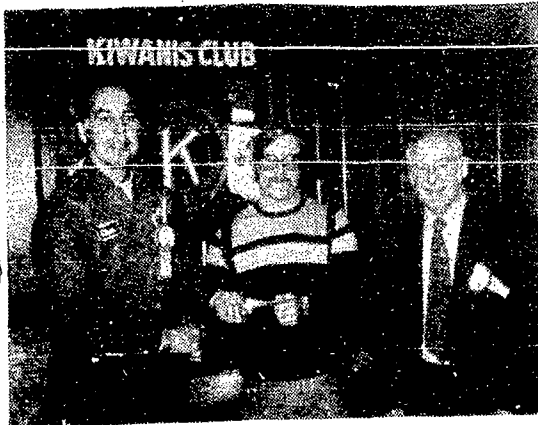
### Grayling Cooperative Nursery School

Anyone who is interested in enrolling their 3 or 4 year old in Grayling Cooperative Nursery School next year and would like to get involved in the election for the new board members will be March 14th, 1979.

Please contact Carla Jean Gingerich at 348-5355 for more information.

Jacalyn Parker, Publicity Chairman

### Kiwanis Entertains Wives



On Monday, Feb. 12th, the Kiwanis entertained their wives at a Valentine luncheon. The lovely floral centerpieces were won by Elsie Jensen and Marilyn Fick.

Dave Wyss and his wife Colleen were guests for the day. Dave gave a talk on the winter sports park and what they are doing to update it. The group presented Dave with a check for equipment at the park.

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By Corrections Officials

## County Jail Lauded For Cleanliness

By Joe Schrader

Almost immediately following a recent announcement that the Crawford County Sheriff & the Board of Commissioners received summons for unsatisfactory jail conditions, the county and sheriff received an unrelated commendation from the Dept. of Corrections, State of Michigan, for its exemplary jail conditions. "It's just ironic, I guess," commented Sheriff Haas upon receipt of the letter, which followed and unexpected, unannounced, and unrelated inspection of jail facilities.

Receipt of the jail's unconditional commendations followed shortly upon announcement that four former inmates had begun suit against the sheriff, undersheriff, and the County Board of Commissioners for enduring, according to their allegations & resulting suit, unacceptable jail conditions. That suit has been turned over to the County's Prosecuting Attorney, Thomas Kent, for review.

In a synopsis and analysis of local jail conditions conducted recently in an inspection by Dept. of Corrections, State of Michigan, the following excerpts were offered: "I wish to express my appreciation to you and your staff for the time and help afforded to me on my recent visit to your facility." Continuing on, he said, "I must compliment you on the condition of your facility. Few jails of that particular size are that clean and well kept."

The letter of commendation, following the unannounced inspection, was provided by a member of the Office of Facilities, Dept. of Corrections, State of Michigan.

Lead Role to Lisa Montague

## Rehearsals Start for Spring Musical



Rehearsals for the production of the Broadway Musical "BRIGADOON" have begun at the Grayling High School's Joseph Stripe Auditorium in preparation for the May 5 premiere of that Lerner and Loewe hit. "BRIGADOON" is the spirited story of an enchanting Scottish village that disappears into the highland mist to return only once every one hundred years. In this well known Broadway production two American hunters stumble upon the village and the resulting story is one of wonder and intrigue.

The leading role in this production will be played by Grayling High School Senior, Lisa Montague. A well known person on the Grayling Stage Lisa has appeared in the productions of "No, No Nanette, L'il Abner, How To Succeed In Business, and You Were Born On A Rotten Day."

"BRIGADOON" is under the direction of Howard Taylor, and the production is being sponsored through the Community School Office.

### Pancake Supper at St. Francis

The Parish of St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 West in Grayling is sponsoring their 4th Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, to be held on February 27th from 5:00 to 7:30 p.m., in their Parish House.

The menu will feature plain or blueberry pancakes and smoked sausage, as well as Elmer Stindt's famous potato pancakes. There will be all the pancakes you can eat for a donation of \$2.25 for adults, \$1.00 for children under 12 and free admission for children under 5. Family rates are also available if it is preferred.

Several door prizes will be awarded to the lucky people possessing the winning ticket stubs, you need not be present to win.

Plan to attend. Tickets may be purchased from any member of St. Francis, from June Robinson at the "Woof 'n' Purrr" in the Emporium on Main Street in Grayling, or at the door.

### Marine Corp League Field Office Here

The Marine Corps League will have it's Field Service Officer John Cummings, at the Court House in Grayling, Michigan on March 14 & 28, 1979 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

He will assist veterans, widows of deceased veterans and their dependents in filing claims with the Veterans Administration, Detroit, Michigan.

### Warning

Range firing will be conducted by units of Michigan Air National Guard during the period 21-24, 27-28 Feb 1979.

The Air to Ground Range which is located east of Guthrie Lake and north of County Road 612, will be in use during this period.

High performance fighter aircraft will be firing on this range.

This range will be closed during the above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of the range area.

## Viking Skiers Win M.H.S. League Crown



MIKE WIELAND—Grayling High Ski Coach displays the winning trophy his girl's team captured during this month's MHS-conference championship ski meet. Members of the winning team include (left to right), Jeane Wieland, Shelly Fick, Sheri Wieland, Toni Trudgeon, Sherrie Reed and Stephanie Fick.



THE VIKING—Boys squad who copped a third place in the meet is shown here, front row (left to right) Craig Ostrander, Todd Golinick, Dave Burr, Jerry Weiss, Scott Norman and Joe Wieland. Back row: On the left, Jerry Norman along with Coach Mike Wieland.

## Winter Festival Big Success Despite "The Chill"

By Joe Schrader

Temperatures dipping to record lows (like -41 degrees) failed to deter local residents participants and out-of-town visitors from engaging in the second, and concluding week end of Grayling's 54th Winter Festival. Under the overall direction of Marty VanDeVen, it may very well have been the best ever, reigned over by Carnival Queen, Miss Sue Burr.

Butch Stockton, Klondike Canoe Race Chief, braved the chilled waters of the AuSable along with his partner, Bob Welsch, Southgate, along with 16 other pairs of canoeists, to challenge a shortened course from Louie's Landing to Stephan Bridge. They only finished third though, following the winning team of Greg and Bruce Barton of Horton, Michigan, who finished the race in 31 minutes, followed in second place by Ken Brown & Terry Jackman of St. Clair Shores, who finished the grueling event in 33 minutes, the Stockton-Welsch team was close behind at 35 minutes.

In other Winter Carnival activities, Eddie Papendick of Grayling won the Northern Pike fishing contest with a 26", 4# beauty. Fred Perrin hauled in a 7-3/4" blue gill to win that category while Bruce McGuire won in wall-eye competition with a 23", 2-3/4 # catch. All are from Grayling (including fishermen!)

In a challenge of real courage and endurance, on Sunday afternoon at Hanson Hills, Mark Kolka & Bill Kellogg staved off a number of challengers to win the downhill canoe race, sliding down hill at speeds approaching 40 miles per hour. Stewart Fowler and Chip Nicholas finished up in the second position while Arnold Bader and Dick Trudeau slid downhill to a third-place finish.

### Our Weather

[Courtesy of Chuck Fick]

Feb.	Hi	Low	Snow
13	20	-14	27.5
14	10	-5	27.5
15	13	3	30.5
16	6	-16	30.5
17	10	-42	30.5
18	15	-22	30.5
19	24	-24	29.5

The Grayling High Girl's Ski Team defeated Petoskey 42-44 to win their first League Championship in Michigan Huron Shores competition. The winning trophy they carried back to the school is the fourth to fill the show cases at the school. Two others are boys' skiing and one in baseball.

In the League meet on Monday, February 12th at Hanson Park, the girls built up a slim, 4-point lead in slalom to hold off last year's champs. Team totals were Grayling, 42, Petoskey, 44, Charlevoix, 91, Cheboygan 171, Boyne City, 174 and Gaylord, 181.

Skiers for Grayling were Sherri Reed, placing 3rd in slalom and 2nd in giant slalom, Sheri Wieland, 4th and 8th, Jean Wieland, 8th and 4th, Stephanie Fick, 7th and 6th, Toni Trudgeon, 10th and 12th, and Shelly Fick, 37th and 14th.

Four Grayling girls won All-League honors placing in the first six positions. Sherri Reed won honors in both slalom and giant slalom. Sheri Wieland placed fourth in slalom, Jean Wieland and Stephanie Fick filled the 4th and 6th spots on the giant slalom team.

The Viking Boys Ski squad placed third behind Petoskey and Charlevoix. Petoskey had 40 points, Charlevoix 72, Grayling, 79, Gaylord 138, Boyne City, 149 and Cheboygan, 228.

Two Viking skiers won All-League honors, gaining medals. Joe Wieland placed 5th on both teams and Scott Norman placed third in the slalom event.

Joe Wieland with two 5th place finishes won the best overall Viking award followed closely by Scott Norman with a third in slalom and 9th in Giant Slalom. Jerry Norman placed 12th in slalom and 7th in giant slalom. Jerry Weiss placed 15th and 23rd, Craig Ostrander, 30th and 25th while David Burr finished in 23rd position in slalom and Todd Golinick 37th in giant slalom.

### Middle School Cagers Win Three of Four

By Joe Schrader

In Middle School action last week, Viking cagers copped three of four contests, with the Eighth Grade Middle School squads winning one of two, while the 7th Grade teams won both contests.

Gearing for Invitational action that started this past Monday, the Seventh Grade squads, headed by Coach Art Thayer, won both contests against Petoskey, the "B" team winning by 10 points, 29-19, while the "A" team also triumphed, 28-19. In the preliminary 7th grade contest, Morrill led the team to victory with 8 points, with Prause trailing close behind with six.

Reynolds led the "A" team's second victory, Morrill led the way with 12 points during his team's 9-point victory.

In "B" action for the 8th grade, Jim Hill led his team to a 11-point victory with 10 points while during the "A" team's loss, Jim Schrader led the way with 17 points and 13 rebounds while John Dannenburg and Rob Holzmann both hit double digits with 11 and 10 points apiece.

### AARP Chapter 1681 To Meet Feb. 26

The Crawford Co. Chapter #1681 of the American Association of Retired Persons will hold the February meeting Monday the 26th at the Senior Citizens Center, at 2 p.m.

Angela Kirkum has an interesting program planned. Ann Buron will do a tap dance, and June Feldhausers guitar class will play for a sing-a-long. Also, under the direction of Evelyn Shurleff, there will be a square dance demonstration. All members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

Frances Olsen  
Publicity Chairman

### World Day Of Prayer

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints is pleased to host this year's World Day of Prayer March 2, 1979. In Grayling World Day of Prayer services will be conducted by representatives from many local churches at the reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints House of Worship on North Down River Road just West of the I-75 Overpass at 1:30 P.M.

All over the world, communities will gather to worship, using the theme "Spiritual Growth." The Women of Africa have written this year's service which emphasized growth in knowledge, faith, hope and love of Jesus Christ.

The african women send warm greetings to all the christians around the world who are coming together on March 2 and hope that their voices will be heard in solidarity with the voices of women in 140 countries and 33 inlands on World Day Of Prayer.

Church women united is the official sponsor of World Day of Prayer in the United States. Call your church or local newspaper for the time and location of the service in your community.

Your prayers and offering on World Day of Prayer will go a long way toward fostering spiritual growth and material well-being for all of God's people.

All young people are invited to attend the worship. A nursery will be provided for the very young child.

Please come & worship together at World Day of Prayer, March 2 at 1:30 P.M. and plan to stay for fellowship following services. Patricia Fowler, Chairperson

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Fridays: Waters Lions Fish Fry, 5 to 8 p.m., Horse-shoe Lake Inn, 2 miles south of Waters on Old 27, Adults-\$3.50 and Children under 12-\$1.75.

Tuesday, Feb. 27: St. Francis Episcopal Church, 4th Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, 5-7:30 p.m., Parish House, \$2.25 Adults, \$1.00-children under 12, & children under 5 free.

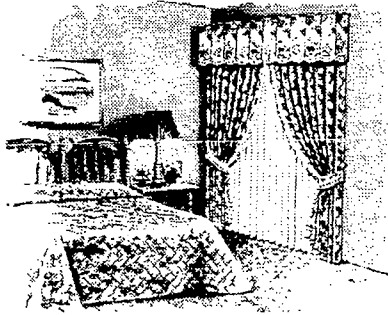
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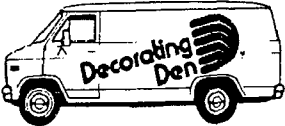
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Lions Club, Kiwanis Club, Eastern Star, Retired Senior Volunteers, St. Mary's Altar Society, Mt. Hope Lutheran Church, St. Francis Episcopal Church, Sears, Roebuck and Co., Avalanche, Jack Hull, Erma Burch, Mrs. Herbert Wolff, Jerome Kesseler, Carroll Wert & Hochette's Party Store.

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## Grayling Travelogue To Show The Great Lakes Area

On Thursday evening, February 22, the Grayling Community School Program will present the next exciting, full-color, true-life adventure of their Travel and Adventure Series. This next travelogue which will center upon the Great Lakes Area, will begin at 7:30 in Grayling's Joseph Stripe Auditorium. Doors will open at 6:45 and tickets will be available at the door. Presenting the travelogue will be nationally recognized photographer Robert Brouwer, a resident of Grand Rapids.

Bob's first presentation, "America-Of Three I Sing," was awarded a Freedom's Foundation of Valley Forge medal for distinguished service in promoting the American way of life. He was commissioned by interested groups and the National Tourist Association of the Netherlands to produce a travelogue on Holland-an unprecedented arrangement in the travelogue field. In 1973, Bob was also the recipient of an award for film excellence for the International Platform Association.

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### Interlochen To Present Ballet Performance At Grayling

The Precision of Classical ballet and the free-form of beauty of modern dance will come to Grayling when dancers from the Interlochen Arts Academy perform at 8:00 on March 7, 1979 at the Joseph Stripe Auditorium.

The Academy's twenty-three member dance ensemble is touring Michigan as part of the "Interlochen Outreach" program, supported by the Michigan Council for the Arts. The performance in Grayling is sponsored by The Community School Office.

The high school-age dancers come from all over the country to study at the Academy, part of Interlochen Center for the Arts. Located near Traverse City, the center also includes the Academy's summer counterpart, the National Music Camp. The Academy is a college-preparatory boarding school with equal emphasis on academics and the performing, visual and literary arts.

This year, Academy students are presenting music, art, dance, drama, and poetry programs to Michigan residents through the "Outreach" tours.

### from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

February 26, 1870 — New York's first subway line is opened to the public. Passengers are admitted at 25 cents apiece and enter one car from a Broadway store basement.

February 27, 1939 — "Sit-down strikes" are outlawed by the U.S. Supreme Court.

February 28, 1933 — Adolf Hitler's government issues a decree suppressing civil liberties in Germany.

March 1, 1803 — Ohio is admitted into the United States as the 17th state.

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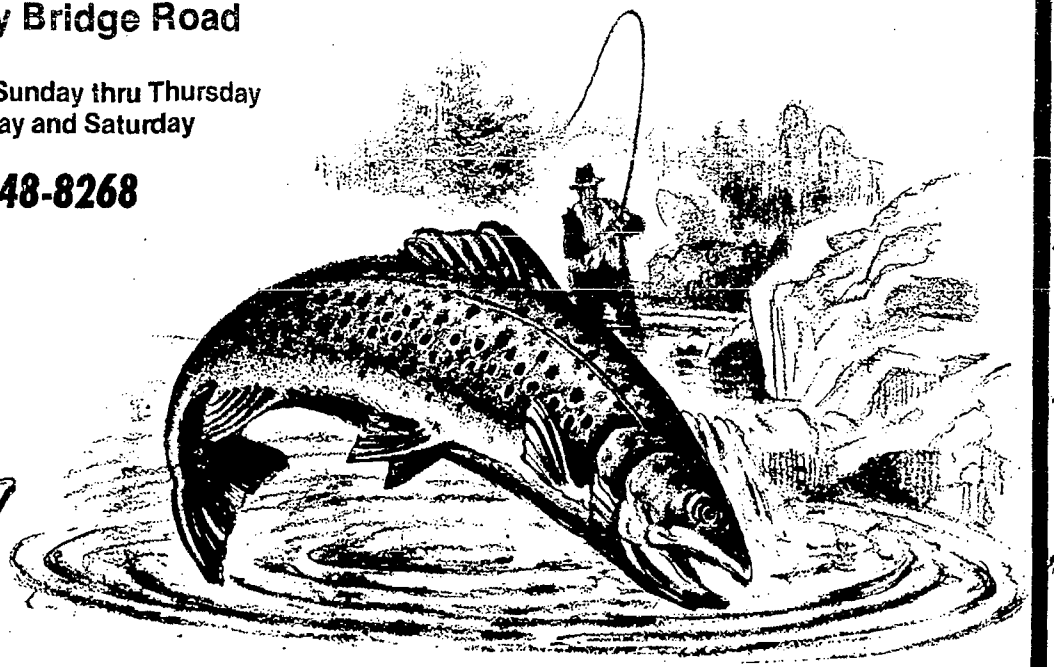
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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

### 23 Years Ago February 23, 1956

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Sorenson of Grayling announce the engagement of their daughter, Denise Ann, to Derek E. McEvers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McEvers, also of Grayling. A July wedding is planned. Mr. McEvers is a student at Northern Michigan College in Marquette and is affiliated with the Theta Omicron Rho Fraternity.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brown announce the arrival of a daughter, Nancy Kay, weighing 7 lbs., 8 ozs. on February 19th. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Brown of Hudson are Nancy's grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hubbell are the parents of a daughter Laurie Jean, weighing 6 lbs., 5 3/4 ozs., born February 8th. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Westbrooke of Highland Park and Frederic, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hubbell of Allen are the baby's grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gardner of Roscommon are the parents of a boy, born February 14th.

Mrs. A.P. Feldhauser returned last Saturday from a six weeks visit in Florida with her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Feldhauser and family at Daytona Beach, and S/Sgt. and Mrs. Jim Feldhauser at Cocoa.

Mrs. Calvin Church has gone on from her visit in Norfolk, Va., to Holly Hill, Fla., where she plans to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carpenter for about 6 weeks.

Mrs. Marion Burch of Traverse City called on her brother, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Joseph, Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hunter had a visit from their son-in-law, Jack Woodworth and his father Floyd, of Clare, Saturday before last.

Michael Hoffman of Saginaw visited his grandson, little Mike Hoffman, and parents, the Dr. Ralph Hoffmans, from February 7th to 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hatfield visited his brother, the Hazen Hatfields and family in Kawkawlin over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox of Midland spent the carnival weekend with their daughter, the Howard Hatfields.

Mrs. Floyd Davis spent the week from February 4th to 9th on a buying trip in Chicago, and attending the Gift Showing at the Palmer House and the LaSalle Hotel.

The Don Bobenmoyers enjoyed a call from her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Morell Fox, Monday morning of last week. He had been at Gaylord to see his mother and to celebrate his birthday, and stopped in on the way back to Lansing.

### 46 Years Ago February 23, 1933

"Revival of the the weird proposal that a bridge be built across the Straits of Mackinac is chiefly unfortunate because it may tend to distract some legislators at Lansing during a period when they should be keeping their minds on serious work and abstaining from day dreaming. A bridged across the Straits is not needed and probably will never be needed. The idea of one being built was among the wildest of the dreams of a man joyriding period. Even if a bridge were desirable, the cost would be prohibitive at this time. Where can the State find \$50,000,000 or \$30,000,000 for such a project? From the Reconstruction Finance Corp.? The hard-headed gentlemen at the head of that institution are not going to become suddenly crazy. The Lansing legislation should 'forget it'." —Detroit Free Press.

Roscommon threw the best they had against the crippled band of basketweavers representing Grayling but Roscommon didn't have enough. Both of their teams took decisive trimmings, the first team bowling over the Gornish-Higgins opposition by a 53-2 score. The Reserves took a 27-10 scalp also.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nickless and daughters, Jane and Margaret, and sons, Harmon and Arthur, of Bay City were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Peterson and family.

Mrs. C.M. Church and sons, Jack and Billy and

Misses Kathryn and Mildred Wolff and Miss Virginia Hawkes of Centerline were guests of Miss Fern Armstrong during the Carnival.

holger Hanson of Ypsilanti was here the forepart of the week to attend a meeting of the Grayling Mercantile Co., and visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Peterson and son, Carl Jr., of Petoskey, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Schnoon-over during the Winter Carnival.

Miss Corrine Olds, Miss Emma Louise Pochelon, and Julius Pochelon, all of Detroit, were among those who attended the Winter Carnival here.

Mrs. Peter McNeven and son, Clinton, of Bay City were guests of Mrs. Celia Granger while attending the carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Berthune and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson of Bay City spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson.

Mrs. Ernest Hoschi is substituting in Miss Norrine Berry's place at the High School, as Miss Berry is absent owing to illness.

### 69 Years Ago February 24, 1910

Miss Vera Richardson is home from Grace Hospital, Detroit.

H. Petersen visited in Bay City the forepart of the week. County Clerk J.J. Collen was transacting business in Roscommon last Thursday.

H.A. Bauman is home from his camp in the Upper Peninsula, for a week's visit with his family.

John Hum and Rolla Brink went down to the Recreation Clubhouse Friday for a few days hunting trip.

Howard Bradley of Frederic was the guest of Grayling friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Failing spent a few days in town last week, as guests of their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Allen B. Failing.

Talk of a new hotel here, which is so greatly needed, is being talked, but we cannot tell by what authority though we hope it will materialize.

Register of Deeds R.W. Brink, received an Elliott-Fisher book typewriter last week for the use of the county officials in recording records of the county.

The Mackinaw Express, due here at 4:10 a.m., arrived here 8 hours late on account of the storm near Detroit. Clark's orchestra waited for it at Roscommon, after the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Wight returned last week from their winter visit at Dayton, Ohio, and Terre Haute, Ind. Both enjoyed the rest and change and "Col" put on ten pounds in weight.



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"...When once the long suffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was a preparing, wherein few, that is, eight souls were saved by water. The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God.) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ." I Peter 3:20, 21.

In the above verses we see the Old Testament flood water of Noah's day was a type, of which the water of New Testament Baptism is the antitype. Both waters were a "figure" or symbol of salvation.

During the flood of Noah's day "eight souls were saved by water." Yet all of us know it was the ark which really saved them. The waters of the flood only lifted up the ark of safety. Not a single person was saved during that universal flood who trusted in the water alone. In fact, it was the water which killed the millions of people outside the ark. It was the ark provided by God which alone provided salvation. The water was only a figure or symbol of the salvation of Noah and his family.

In the New Testament Peter tells us "even baptism doth also now save us." Peter is quick to add, "not the putting away of the filth of the flesh." It is not the water of baptism which saves. Water baptism can only cleanse the outward body. It is our personal faith in the resurrection of Jesus Christ which assures us of forgiven sins and eternal life. A good conscience toward God does not come from water baptism, but by faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. Baptism is merely a "figure" or symbol of our faith in the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ for our salvation. Therefore, Jesus

Christ is the ark of our salvation, and water baptism is merely the symbol which exalts Him.

The water of Baptism can do no more than the flood water of Noah's day to bring salvation. Just as the ark was the real salvation of Noah's day, so also the ark, Christ Jesus, is the only real salvation today. There are many church members today who are trusting their water Baptism for salvation, who have never personally ask Jesus Christ to forgive them of their sins and to enter their heart. My friend, don't let your faith in water Baptism bring eternal death to your immortal soul. Make sure your faith is resting in a person, the Lord Jesus Christ, and not just merely in a symbol of His redeeming work. (adv.)

Pastor Barnett

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Crawford County Rural Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday, February 22, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. in the County Building. The following will be heard:

A request to change the zoning from R-A to R-4 on the following described property: The East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4, less 1-75 right of way, Section 29, T25N R3W, Beaver Creek Township, containing 72.5 acres.

Further information may be obtained from the Crawford County Rural Zoning Department, Room C-107, County Building, Grayling, Michigan: phone 517-348-7241.

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2. Jack The Tinner	67 1/2
3. Muriel's Beauty Salon	65
4. Russ Dry Wall	62
5. Garage's Auto	53
6. Michigan Con. Gas	47 1/2
7. Moose Lodge	47
8. Tim Francis RE	37 1/2
High Game: R. Mudge 245, T. Grant 243, R. Mudge 222.	
High Series: M. Mudge 643, S. Houllton 602, T. Grant 592.	
Northwood	
1. Leonard's El.	19
2. C.J. Disco	19
3. Russ Dry Wall	18 1/2
4. Northern Pines Ass.	18
5. Grandin's	13
6. Laurines	10 1/2
7. Milltown Sant.	8
8. Comfort Center II	8
High Game: V. Henning 207, E. Helsel 194, M. Weaver 186.	
High Series: V. Henning 528, M. Weaver 495, P. Thayer 493.	
American 1st Div.	
1. Uncle Al's	18
2. North Pines	17
3. Sawyers	16
4. Krummel	16
5. Krums	13
6. Hay S.	12
7. A. Manistee	10
8. Sully's	6
High Series: M. Hettlinger 613, C. Baron 575, T. Barr 559.	
High Game: M. Hettlinger 235, M. Hettlinger 221, L. Davis 225.	
Senior Citizens	
1. Glen's Mkt.	55 1/2
2. First Savings	54
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5. Pro Mart	40
6. Spikes	36
7. New York Life Ins.	31
8. R. & H. Sports	21
High Series: M. G. Foltz 549, R. Zalac 498, R. Gunderson 496.	
High Game Men: N. Hohner & D. Laskowski 204, G. Foltz 201, I. Tosto 187.	
High Series Women: I. Hendee 449, C. Cinciala 434, M. Frankfield 432.	
High Game Women: M. Frankfield 172, M. Foltz 168, I. Hendee 161.	
Recreation League	
1. Ray City Times	18
2. Coos Mkt.	18
3. R. & H. Sports	17
4. Grayling Power	17
5. Muriel's Beauty Salon	16
6. A's Shirt Shop	16
7. Olsons	15
8. Pine Aire	15
9. Marilyn's Hair Boutique	15
10. Women of the Moose	14
11. Glens Mkt.	14
12. Lovells Hdw.	13
13. Krummel Beverage	13
14. Arrowhead	13
15. Grayling Bank	13
16. Grayling House	13
High Series: M. Perez 503, J. Trenary 502, J. Yoder 501.	
High Game: J. Yoder 213, J. Hinds 202, J. Trenary & R. Kinser 183.	
Muriel's Beauty Salon & Olsons to bowl at later date.	
Sunday Afternoon Fun League	
1. D.J.'s	18 1/2
2. Legion Lounge	17 1/2
3. Lakewood	17 1/2
4. Lake View Stables	17
5. Spikes	9 1/2
6. Miller Hdw.	9
7. Tom Schan's	7
8. Glen's Mkt.	5
High Series: M. H. Bahr 568, D. Germain 551, J. Diener 542.	
High Game Men: J. Diener 231, H. Bahr 226, K. Golnick 189.	
High Series Women: S. Johnson 507, J. Yoder 452, J. Hinds 457.	
High Game Women: S. Johnson 199, J. Yoder 181, J. Helsel 176.	
National 2nd Div.	
1. Cold Groc.	20
2. Legion Lounge	19
3. Sawyers	19
4. Georgia Pacific	17
5. Grayling VW	13
6. Cornett Ins.	13
7. Krummel Dist.	9 1/2
8. C.J. Disco	2 1/2
High Series: D. Canfield 606, R. Metzger 589, J. Timmins 579.	
High Game: D. Canfield 223, R. Metzger 220, J. Timmins 217.	
Early Birds	
1. Mac's Drug	15
2. Lakewood Stables	15
3. Grayling Pharmacy	15
4. Theaker's Kids	14
5. Little Caesars	14
6. Rochettes	14
7. Dan & Maggie's	14
8. Glen's Mkt.	13
Girls High Game: V. Bielecki 170, C. Canfield 155, J. Mudge 140.	
Girls High Series: V. Bielecki 423, M. Canfield 389, P. Millikin 358.	
Boys High Game: B. Trenary 221 & 205, R. Mudge 192, R. Ingalls 181.	
Boys High Series: B. Trenary 588, R. Mudge 505, K. Martin 450.	
American 2nd	
1. Moose Lodge	23
2. Parker Surveying	23
3. Terry's Union 76	18
4. Down River Pines	18
5. Witte Carpet	14
6. LP Plastic #2	13
7. LP Plastic #2	11
8. Mercy Hospital	8
High Series: R. Mudge 594, A. Stephenson 543, J. Ely 540.	
High Game: R. Mudge 208, J. Ely & R. Mudge 201, M. Cook 200.	

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## Friday Nite Mixed

1. Legion Lounge	17
2. Little Debbie	15 1/2
3. Riley's Country Store	15
4. Perez & McLaughlin CPA's	14 1/2
5. Moshier Sales & Service	12
6. L.P. Plastics	12
7. Bill's Taxidermy Shop	11
8. L. & L. Shell Service	10
High Game Women: E. Helsel 184, E. Helsel 182, J. Yoder 174.	
High Series Women: E. Helsel 536, J. Yoder 503, S. Bajor 477.	
High Game Men: B. Reichelderfer 222, D. Germain 200, T. Grant 200, D. Ray 200, T. Brooks 191, D. Germain 191.	
High Series Men: D. Germain 554, B. Reichelderfer 547, T. Brooks 537.	
National 1st	
1. Ben Franklin Family Center	22
2. Busch	21
3. Northern Pine Assoc.	18 1/2
4. B-J Boys	18
5. Carlisle Paddle Co.	16
6. Reptile World	15
7. Budweiser	12
8. Durga Towing	8 1/2
High Series: L. Davis 639, R. Mudge 558, C. Bonamie 547.	
High Game: L. Davis 234, C. Bonamie 234, R. Mudge & P. Faustman 227.	
Pin Pals	
1. Flowers by Josie	18 1/2
2. Legion Lanes	18
3. McDonald's	17
4. Down River Pines	13
5. Comfort Center	13
6. Terry's Union 76	12 1/2
7. A & W	11
8. L.P. Plastics	9
High Series Boys: M. Fye 507, D. Dadafoe 404, R. Reddy 386.	
High Game Boys: M. Fye 198 & 188, D. Dadafoe 143, D. Zigala 139.	
High Series Girls: K. Worken 370, K. Kibbe 357, S. Trenary 336.	
High Game Girls: K. Worken 144, S. Trenary 143, S. Wright 136.	
Youth Bowling	
1. Milltown Meats & Deli	17
2. Laura's Bath Shoppe	13
3. Foodland	12
4. Wilts Carpet	11 1/2
5. Grayling 4-H	10 1/2
6. Downriver Tru Value	8
7. Tim Francis Real Estate	6
8. Moshier Sales & Service	6
High Series: J. Palmer 194, C. Bonamie 185, C. Allen 170.	
High Game: J. Palmer 108, J. Palmer 104, C. Bonamie 102.	
High Series: Wa. Millikin 162, K. Hudson 147, T. Ketchum 144.	
High Game: Wa. Millikin 95, K. Hudson 89, T. Ketchum 85.	
Jeff Martinez received a special award for bowling games of 101, 98, and 101 for a 300 series.	
The Cannon Ballers	
1. George's Auto	21
2. Legion Auxiliary	19
3. AUSA Electric	18
4. C.F. Fick & Sons	17
5. R & H Sports	16
6. Milltown Party Store	2
High Game Girls: M. Brooks 120, C. McLaughlin 109, A. Small, D. Grant, M. Brooks 106, 107.	
High Series Girls: M. Brooks 328, D. Grant 294, A. Small 283.	
High Game Boys: M. Fye 173, M. Barr 124, J. Meager 122.	
High Series Boys: M. Fye 419, M. Barr 311, J. Meager 291.	
Tournaments to Team Events will be held in Cadillac on March 18th and 25th. We will leave the bowling alley at 1:30 p.m. We must be on the lanes and ready to bowl at 3:30 p.m.	
After bowling we will eat at McDonalds in Cadillac, be sure to bring enough money.	
Sunday Night Mixed Doubles	
1. Jims Ups	16
2. Lakewood	14
3. C.F. Glass	12
4. Moshier's	12
5. Little Caesars	12
6. Essence of Beauty	11 1/2
7. Rileys	9 1/2
8. Plaza Bar	9
High Game Women: S. Robideau 190, D. Helsel 163, A. Stephan & H. Annis 154.	
High Series Women: S. Robideau 464, M. Weaver 444, D. Helsel 428.	
High Game Men: R. Mudge 206, R. Richardson 191, L. Riley 190.	
High Series Men: R. Mudge 572, L. Riley 519, J. Robideau 498.	
Nitrow Mixed Doubles	
1. Perez & McLaughlin CPA's	18
2. TA	17
3. Credit Union	17
4. Moore's Automotive	12
5. Witte Carpet	12
6. Ryan Sales	11
7. Vans Lumber	8
8. Foodland	6
High Series Men: R. Perez 559, D. Witte 546, T. Ockerman 511.	
High Game Men: R. Perez 208, D. Germain 208, M. Hettlinger 206.	
High Series Women: V. Henning 578, J. Palsen 489, J. Arwood 480.	
High Game Women: V. Henning 236, J. Arwood 197, M. Perez 180.	

## Department of Natural Resources Announces Hazardous Waste Treatment Strategy

By Willard Bosserman  
Co. Ext. Dir.

Diane Carlson, Department of Natural Resources Chemical Engineer for Hazardous Waste Management, told Northeast Michigan Council of government officials about the state's strategy for hazardous waste treatment recently.

"Michigan has long been recognized as an industrial leader and the home of numerous chemical companies. While these industries provide jobs, goods and services and a better way of life, they also create A PROBLEM. Industry also produces unusable waste material."

"Some of this waste has been identified in recent years as toxic or potentially hazardous and requires special handling and treatment for safe disposal."

"Michigan currently has little capability for disposing of some of these toxic and hazardous waste materials and no capability for disposing of many of them. Several means can be used to help eliminate the wastes. Some ways of cutting down on wastes are to: Restrict the generation of potentially hazardous wastes. This can be done by limiting new industries and restricting process expansion. We can encourage resource recovery, waste reduction at the source, and detoxifying waste at the source."

"We can also increase our capability to handle and treat hazardous wastes. Encourage a waste exchange where one industry's waste becomes another industry's raw material. Modify process equipment such as cement kilns and boilers to safely treat wastes. Encourage and assist the private sector in construction of new disposal facilities. Construct a State-owned treatment facility. Direct some of our industrial waste to out-of-state treatment and disposal facilities."

## Feeding and Attracting Wildlife

By Willard Bosserman  
Co. Ext. Director

A winter like this year's with its heavy snowfall and bitter cold, means wildlife must struggle to survive. You can help by turning your backyard into a wildlife sanctuary.

"Wildlife need food, cover and water to survive. If you provide this habitat, you will see how wild animals live, behave, reproduce and die, and you will learn how wildlife depend on habitat for survival," says Glenn R. Dudderar, Extension wildlife specialist at Michigan State University.

Attract wildlife to your backyard by supplying these three essentials: Food, cover and water.

One way you can provide food is by planting a variety of grasses, flowers, shrubs and trees. But you don't really need to plant anything. If you just leave a part of your backyard alone, food-producing grasses, weeds and flowers will gradually grow there.

These same areas also provide cover for animals. This cover provides protection from the elements and places to rest and raise

young. You can also supplement existing cover by building nesting boxes and houses.

Water must usually be provided artificially. Bird baths, which come in a wide variety of forms, will do the job well.

You can't very well plant for food and cover right now. But you can set up feeding stations for birds. Many types and styles of feeders are available. Suet, seed cakes, peanut butter, sunflower seeds, fruits and various grains all make good food. Birds require grit to digest food, so you might want to provide coarse sand or ground-up clam or oyster shells. Feeders attract not only birds, but also small animals like rabbits and squirrels. You can also attract these animals by putting out blocks of rock salt.

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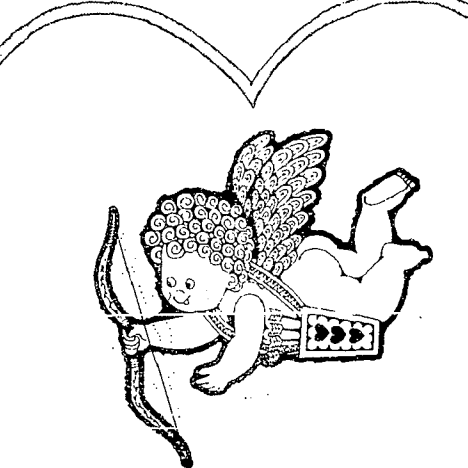
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## Four Matmen Go To Class B Regionals



Burt Partello #112  
Season Record 37-0  
Total Record 104-12



Chuck Golnick #132  
Season Record 29-7-1  
Total Record 90-41-1



Tim Jones #138  
Season Record 25-14



Barry Cole #178  
Season Record 18-10

Viking Wrestlers participated in the Class B District playoffs Saturday, Feb. 17 in Fremont. Under the fine coaching of Don Ferguson the Vikes were not overwhelmed when faced with competition from 17 other schools. Although the competition from the larger schools was very tough the Viking Matmen were able to place 7th from 18 schools. Muskegon Catholic Central placed 1st with Fremont

coming in 2nd. An exciting and full day was climaxed in the final rounds as Grayling placed four of their thirteen wrestlers into the Regional Playoffs which will be held at Grand Rapids on Feb. 28. Finishing first in the 112# was Burt Partello. Burt wrestled the mat-men from schools finishing at the top of the Districts, in close, tough matches. His winning streak remained intact as he added 4 more wins to his season record of 37-0.

Chuck Golnick placed 2nd at 132# after romping through three impressive wins before losing in the final matches of the evening to a fairly close decision.

Tim Jones at 138# and Barry Cole at 178#, both Juniors, worked their weights through the tough competition earning 4th place medals. These two wrestlers are really looking forward to the competition at the regionals next week.

Coach Ferguson expressed his pleasure with results of the day's matches. He noted that this is the first time our wrestlers have competed in the "Class B" districts. The competition was extremely tough and the Regionals should prove to be an even greater challenge. Go Vikes...Pin'em again!

## Vikes Split Dual Meet At Oscoda February 13

The Viking Mat men traveled to Oscoda on Feb. 13 for a dual meet with Oscoda and Whittemore Prescott, the Vikes lost to Oscoda 48-15.

Double winners for the evening were Burt Partello #112, Chuck Golnick #132, and Steve CdeBaca #132. Single winners for the evening were Tim Jensen, 98#; Dave Pettit 105#, Tim Ferrigan 119#, Duane Bloos 126#.

Tim Jones 138#, Terry Lucksted 145#, Jerry Lucksted 155#, Dennis O'Mara 165#, Barry Cole 178# and Joe St. John 191#.

The highlight of the evening came during the match with Oscoda when Junior, Burt Partello achieved his "100" win of his career. For a high school wrestler to achieve this coveted and elusive honor is quite an accomplishment. It requires much more than luck or even skill. It requires complete and total dedication to maintain the skills a wrestler already has as well as continual work to keep improving. There is no let down. For a junior to achieve this honor with another full season ahead of him gives you some idea of the seriousness that Burt attacks wrestling with. Congratulations! Grayling is proud of you!

### Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Terry & Marcia St. Vincent of Norway, MI. are the parents of a baby girl born Feb. 12, weighing 8 lbs. 3 oz.

She has been named Brenda Kay. Grandparents are Mike and Joyce Ingalls.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen attended the Michigan Plumbing and Mechanical Contractors conference held at the Hyatt Regency in Dearborn, from Tuesday to Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes and Jeanne and Jeff spent the weekend in Plymouth. It was a combined business trip and a birthday trip for Jeff, whose birthday was February 21.

### Wetlands Protect Lake Water Quality

by Willard Bosserman  
County Extension Director

Wetlands adjacent to a lake or stream is one source of clean water to the body of water. For the good of the lake it is important to leave such wetlands in their natural condition. If the wetland is privately owned, then the problem arises about not allowing the private land owner to develop the land, thus depriving the owners of their constitutional right to use their property. Therefore, it is my opinion that wetlands should be in public ownership to protect the public's interest in keeping their lake and stream water clean.

Now you can do it. Private lands can be nominated to be purchased through the Michigan Land Trust Fund. There will be the cry that the State already owns too much land in Crawford and Roscommon counties. That we may be, however, I still believe wetlands are better for the public ownership.

Better land exchanges with the State based on a good land-use-plan might be a better way to go, but the mechanics for such is not well defined. Anyway, beginning January 22nd, the Department of Natural Resources will have made available, forms for the public to nominate lands for public purchase and use through the Michigan Land Trust Fund. The fund's board is seeking public input on proposed land acquisition and the board will, in turn, recommend purchase of the recreational lands with funds raised by the sale of oil, gas and mineral leases and royalties on gas and oil wells located on state-owned land.

Under the Kammer Recreational Land Trust Act of 1976, a third of each year's revenue plus the interest and earnings from the trust fund itself, is available for land acquisition. The balance remains in the fund to be carried forward from year to year. Available funds from operations this fiscal year are expected to be \$2.5 million.

After evaluating all proposals submitted by the public, the board will determine its priority list of lands for acquisition. That list will then be submitted to the legislature in January, 1980.

Land Acquisition Proposal forms may be obtained in person or by mail from the DNR Office of Budget and Federal Aid, 6th Floor, Mason Building, Box 30028, Lansing, Michigan 48909. The deadline for submitting proposals is April 6, 1979.

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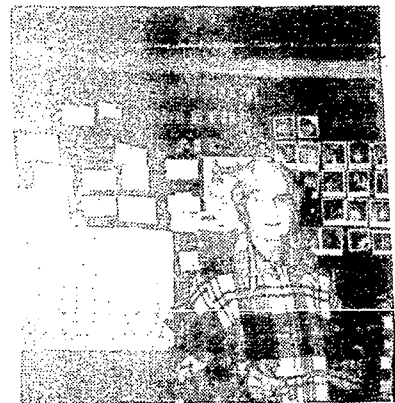
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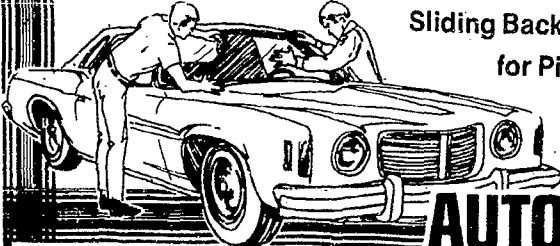
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## Tax load hits a new high

RICHARD MILLIMAN

Money is always a fascinating subject—especially our money which we pass on to governments at various levels to use in our behalf.

The total of taxes paid to state and local governments has now passed the \$200 billion mark for the first time.

Two hundred billion dollars! It's impossible for human minds to conceive a figure so huge.

For the sticklers, the exact figure is \$202.6 billion in fiscal 1978, according to the Tax Foundation.

Turning to the Census Bureau for more localized data, we learn that in fiscal 1977, three states had per capita burdens of more than \$1,000 per person in state and local taxes—Alaska with a whopping \$2,296, New York with \$1,252 and California with \$1,089. Washington, D.C., which wants to be a state, was also right up there, even without statehood, with a total of \$1,071.

Michigan ranked relatively high with \$878 per capita state and local tax load, while Ohio with \$641 and Indiana with \$652 were a few steps behind.

Lowest state and local tax burden, according to the Census Bureau, was in Arkansas with \$494 per capita, followed closely by Alabama with \$507. Other states below \$600 were Mississippi, South Carolina, Tennessee, North Carolina and Oklahoma—all, of course, located in what used to be called the South but now is referred to as the Sun Belt.

A couple of questions pop into mind: (1) The Sun Belt is attracting population and industry; can lower tax loads be a very important reason?

And (2), once the population and industrial levels rise in the Sun Belt states, can taxes remain low?

Turning to federal spending for a moment, two more states have joined the growing surge of support for a national constitutional change to require a balanced federal budget.

North Carolina and Arkansas—which, as noted above, sort of cotton to the idea of comparatively low tax burdens—have become the 23rd and 24th states to join the demand.

Utah and California legislatures are considering similar actions. It would take 34 states adopting the amendment to force Congress to call a convention solely to write an amendment to force the federal government to the balance budget.

I'm all for balanced governmental budgets, but I don't have a lot of faith that the federal government will operate with one even if the Constitution requires it. Somehow, Washington will find a way around it.

Let's close with some quickie comments:

—Richard M. Nixon has come out of hibernation and is traveling the globe anew. That's all right with me. Just like mainland China, Mr. Nixon is a fact of life, too large to ignore forever.

One of his early comments when he came out of exile interested me. He told a student audience in Oxford, when asked about Watergate, something that went like this: "I screwed up and I paid the price."

Indeed he did, on both scores. I can't help wondering: if Nixon had admitted at the time of Watergate that he "screwed up," would the people of the nation have forgiven a contrite and repentant Nixon, and might he have been able to finish out his term in the White House?

We can never know, of course. But I wonder.

—Let's hear it for newly elected Sen. William Armstrong of Colorado, who ran last fall on a conservative money-saving platform. After the election, Sen. Armstrong sent letters to contributors announcing that he had a campaign surplus of more than \$100,000 and he offered refunds. I've never seen a tally of how much he sent back; probably his backers were too stunned to reply.

—A recent story about Michigan Republican workhorse Jerry Roe, who is leaving his party shortly, indicated he was a native of Montana and "a graduate of the College of Great Falls." Is that anything like the School of Hard Knocks?



## EDITOR'S MAILBOX

**Editor's Note:** The following letter was written to Cong. Robert Davis' aide by Top O'Michigan Rural Electric Co., General Manager, Roger Westbroek pertaining to the course of the strike against the power company.

Mr. William D. Huber, District Representative for Congressman Robert Davis P.O. Box 434 Petoskey, Michigan 49770

Dear Mr. Huber:

This is in reply to your request of February 5, 1979 on behalf of a concerned group of Top O'Michigan members that management set aside its attorney in exchange for the union's offer to set aside its international representative so that management and a committee from the strikers can negotiate a contract without any outside influence. It is unclear whether the group making the request considers the presence of the union's professional business manager an outside influence or whether he would be a member of the striker's committee.

This request is apparently related to the charges presented recently that the cooperative had "failed to reasonably negotiate" and that this matter ceased to be a "local" issue when the cooperative hired an outside attorney. Perhaps we should set the record straight.

The matter ceased to be a local issue about a year ago when the union informed the cooperative that 5 of its office employees had signed union membership cards; subsequently, Local 876 of the IBEW was certified by the National Labor Relations Board as the official agent representing the office employees in their relations with management. These events precluded further direct discussions between the cooperative and its employees without outside intervention. To agree to meet with a committee of employees now, without the presence of their certified bargaining agent, would be both illegal and unethical.

It might be helpful to explain that, before the employees walked out last October 19, the cooperative was represented at the bargaining table by a 3-member committee from the Board and management while the employees were represented by the professional business manager, his assistant and a group of the employees themselves. The Board realized that a committee made up of 3 members who are laymen in labor matters would be at a disadvantage without professional help, at the bargaining table. However, the Board felt that this risk was worth taking in hope that better future relations could be maintained if a professional negotiator were not at the bargaining table.

The last flicker of that hope went out October 19, when the employees walked away from their jobs. At that time, the cooperative's committee sincerely felt that the collective bargaining process was far from exhausted, and expressed a desire to continue negotiations. Several open issues, for which we believed answers could be found through continued negotiations, still remained on the table. The union even refused to discuss the subject of wages and other monetary matters, indicating that these could be taken care of in March, 1979 when the contract for the cooperative's line workers is scheduled to expire, putting the cooperative in an extremely vulnerable position.

It is important to note that it was the union that refused to negotiate. The union chose instead to call a strike and initiated an all-out campaign in the media and through public meetings, obviously hoping to confuse the issue and bring public pressure on the cooperative to capitulate to the union's terms. It also ordered about 50 line workers during the term of the contract, which remains in effect until March, 1979, to breach the contract by refusing to cross picket lines. Obviously, the union felt it had management flat on its back and this would be an opportune time for a union takeover of the cooperative.

Shortly after the strike began, the Board met and unanimously agreed that it should take advantage of all of the resources at its disposal if the best interests of the cooperative's members were to be adequately protected. The firm of Jacobs & Ward of Kalamazoo was selected to represent the cooperative; this firm was selected because it has both the professional expertise and the high ethical standards the Board believes the situation demands. Judging from the recent public attacks and other attempts to discredit the firm, it appears that perhaps the union now feels it has met its match and will now only be able to take over the cooperative if it can circumvent the cooperative's negotiating committee.

It is important to remember that at no time were any of the employees involved locked out by the cooperative, but chose instead to walk away from their jobs. Unfortunately, some of them with many years vested in a good retirement and benefit program. Necessarily, management also faced the responsibility to continue to provide 24 hour electric service to cooperative members. There was little choice but to notify the striking office workers that if they continued to refuse to return to

work the cooperative would begin to hire economic replacements for their jobs. Since then most of these jobs have been filled on a permanent full-time basis by new employees screened from about 150 applications who had talent to offer and a desire to work. Ironically, these strikers who so easily refused to negotiate and left their jobs, now appeal to the membership and to the general public to help them get their jobs back at the sacrifice of those who have worked diligently, under extremely adverse conditions, to maintain service to the members.

I must emphasize that through the entire strike the cooperative would have welcomed any employee, either directly involved or honoring the picket line, to return to work. Even at the time of this writing jobs of all of the line workers and also of the office employees who have not been replaced are still open and we would be most happy to see them return to work.

It might also be well here to apprise you of another related matter with which your office might conceivably get involved. In the Petoskey News Review of February 1, 1979 the union's business manager was quoted as saying that the union negotiating committee would be in Gaylord on February 9 to hold "around-the-clock-7-days-a-week" negotiations on a contract with the office employees.

This came as a surprise to us as theretofore neither side had attempted to unilaterally schedule negotiating sessions without giving the other side the courtesy of scheduling a mutually agreeable date. It was especially confusing to us as in mid-January a session on the line workers contracts had been scheduled for February 12, after an exchange of available dates in which the business manager had indicated he could not be available for the remainder of January and the cooperative had indicated that February 9 was a date on which all of its committee could not be present.

During January there was also a contract between the union and the workers cooperative regarding further negotiations on the office workers contract. The union was informed that the cooperative was ready to negotiate and it was left that the union representative would contact the cooperative's attorney for a mutually agreeable date. This contract never came, but on February 5 our attorney received a letter from the union informing him of the Gaylord meeting which had been announced to the press.

This move was obviously contrived to cast the cooperative in a role of appearing

unwilling to negotiate. As the union knew previously, it is impossible to have the cooperative's entire committee in Gaylord on February 9; the union has since been invited to forward dates that its committee can be available so that negotiations can continue.

If your office has any question on this matter please be assured that the cooperative always has and still stands ready to negotiate with the union at any reasonable time and place. You may also be assured that management, with counsel and full support of the Board, is calling the shots from the cooperative's side—not the attorney. For over 3 months we have overcome seemingly insurmountable obstacles to provide continuous service to Top O'Michigan members. In spite of sabotage, harassment and union instigated public pressure, we fully intend to honor our commitment to the members to operate their utility and handle their cooperative's affairs with their best, long-term interest as our objectives.

Sincerely,  
Roger Westbroek  
General Manager  
Copy to: Board of Directors

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Crawford County Treasurer

## Frederic Hobby Club

The Hobby Club meeting was held on February 12th at the Town Hall. Muriel Leng was the hostess. We had our Annual Officers' Dinner and it was a fun evening. Vi Middleton and Merna Newberry have been in the Hobby Club the longest, 25 years. The door prize was won by Debbie Weaver.

Thelma Rivers,  
Corres. Sec'y.

## Bitter Cold K.O's Volleyball Teams

By Joe Schrader

The Grayling High Volleyball teams were scheduled for action in tournament play on Saturday, February 17th. Bitter cold weather resulted in no bus starting to carry the girls to the tourney, though, and the team was forced to forfeit. According to Coach Nancy Lemmen, St. Ignace copped the first positions in the tourney while Petoskey took a second-place award.

Against Petoskey last Wednesday the Northmen handed Grayling two Valentine's Day losses, defeating the JV squad, 7-15, 15-12, 15-9 while the varsity team also went down defeat, 15-9, 15-13, 7-15, 15-3. According to Coach Nancy Lemmen, "the varsity team had problems with their serves, where as Petoskey not only had strong serves but also a tough spiking offense."

On Thursday, the Varsity team sustained its second loss of the week, losing, 11-15, 15-1, 15-11, 15-10. The JV team posted its second season win, though, 12-15, 15-6, 15-7, thanks to "excellent serving and team work."

Coach Lemmen, disappointed in her varsity team's loss, had this to say, "our serves were off and theirs were on. Charlevoix had an offense that included hard, well-placed spikes that we failed to defend against." She credited Lisa Radebaugh with a couple of fine plays to save the ball.

The volleyballers took on Standish this past Monday night in an away contest and will host Boyne City here at home on Wednesday with the first game set for 7 p.m.

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## "Citizens of Tomorrow"



Children of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wells of Rt. 5, Box 5072, Grayling: Joshua, age 2½ and Carrieann, age 1, shown above.



Children of Mr. and Mrs. David Millikin, of Rt. 2, Box 2949, Grayling: Aaron David, age 5, and Heather Anne, age 3, shown above.



Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Wilcox, of Rt. 5, Box 5265, Grayling: Nicole Lynn, age 19 months, shown above.



Son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Case, P.O. Box 183, Grayling: Gregory, age 2, shown above.



Children of Dan & Deanna Sattler, of Rt. 5, Grayling: Erika Lynn, age 5, and Angela Kay, age 3, shown above.



Son of Miss Teresa Wilcox, Rt. 5, Box 5265, Grayling: Aaron McKane, age 1, shown above.

## Announce Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Rodish of Rochester announce the engagement of their daughter, Robin Elaine, to Roger Francis Bulley, Jr. of Holly. Mr. Bulley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bulley, Sr. of Grayling.

The bride, a 1976 graduate of Rochester Adams, is currently employed by Computer Peripherals, Inc., in Rochester. The groom is a foreman for Holly Steel and Supply, Co.

After their April wedding the couple plan to make their home in the Holly area.

## A Trip To The Weather Station

Tuesday, February 13, 1979. Mrs. McEvers fourth grade science classes took a trip to the Houghton Lake Weather Station. They went because they were studying weather in science class. They went in to a radar room with Mr. Gruber who works there. He showed them a radar screen. They went outside with Mr. Eggleston and he showed them a weigh gauge and a rain gauge. They had a lot of fun. Written by Sherry Hamilton



PICTURED—at the Houghton Lake Weather Station, from left to right, students John Moggo, Eric Klann, Tony Gatrell, David Somerville, Carmen Weaver, and John Gruber, meteorologist in charge. (Fay Bovee photo)

## All About Juvenile Law



Mrs. Calleweart teaches Juvenile Law at Kirtland Community College. She is with the police department. She came up to talk to us on Tuesday, February 6, 1979, about juveniles. It was very interesting. She told us what age you have to be to go to jail. Some parents care for them and respect them. Shown in the picture are Mrs. Calleweart, right, Leasa Wallman, fourth grader, and Leasa's mother, who happened to come to the program. Written by the fourth graders

## Junior Deputy Program

This week Wednesday, February 14th, 1979, we learnt mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. They taught us how to see if the victim was breathing or not. The whole class had a turn. Before we started Tony Doremire reviewed how to do mouth-to-mouth. Everybody in the class laughed but didn't think it was very funny when it was their turn. The way Mr. Doremire taught us is like this:

1. See if they were sleeping.
2. See, hear, feel.
3. Bend the victim's head back.
4. Pinch the nose.
5. Breathe into the mouth every five seconds.

They also had a baby. We did the same thing only every three seconds apart. We only gave the amount of breath in our mouth. Afterwards he answered questions.

By Katie Tinker and Gerry Lugvial  
Fourth Grade, Mrs. Cohoon

## Junior Deputy

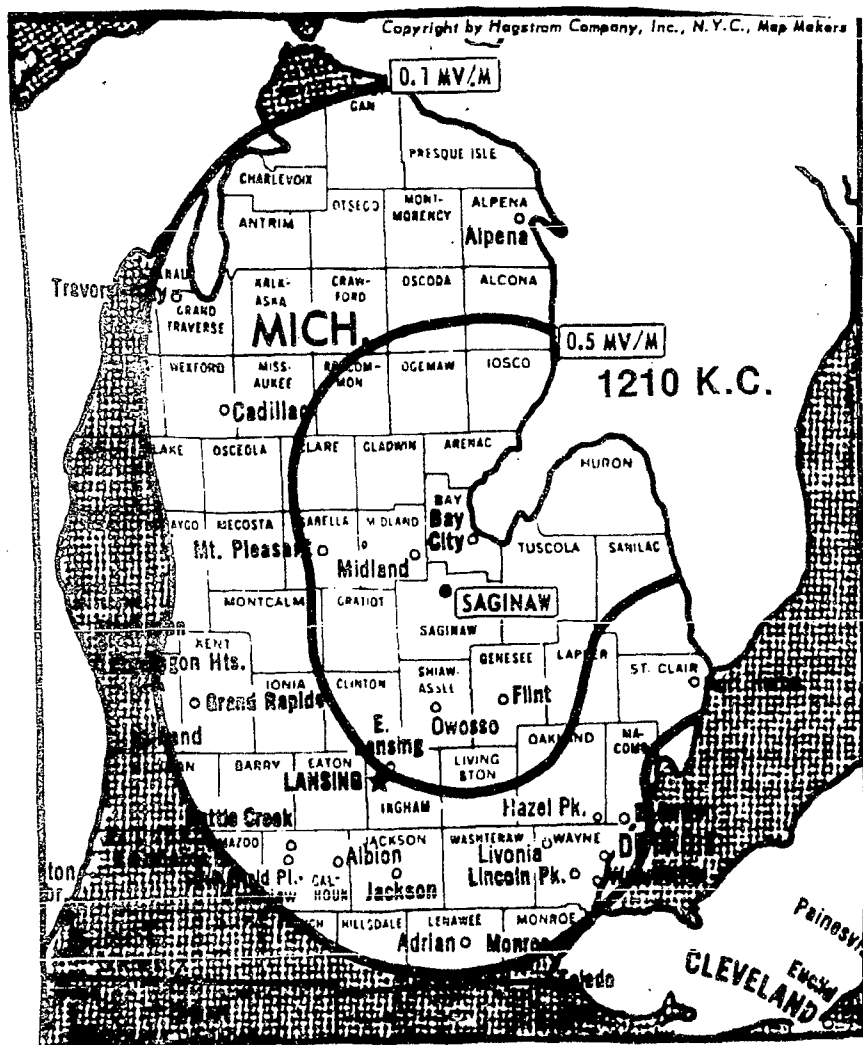
Every Tuesday we go to Junior Deputy. And every week someone new comes to show and tell us about what kinds of work they do being a policeman. And I think we all like it. On January 30, Paul Smith came to our Junior Deputy, and he told us about what you would have to do if you were a policeman. Written by Darcie Dee Crull

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## Bits O'Talk

By Fay Bovee

Warren and Betty Reed of Millington were guests of her sister and husband, Tom and Marian Welsh from Monday to Wednesday of last week. On Tuesday evening, the Welshes entertained their antique club. The program was Betty's collection of 200 dolls.

Week-end guests of Tom and Marian Welsh were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James DuBois and Suzanne of Vassar. Leeds DuBois had open heart surgery at Henry Ford Hospital on February 5. He had four bypasses and is still hospitalized.

The Les Hunters received a surprise phone call on Thursday morning from "down under" Elaine Ferguson of Australia, who had visited the Hunters about 20 years ago called to see how they were. Gerald and Claudia Pielack and daughter, Samantha, of East Detroit, John and Gretchen Nelson of Gaylord, and Mike and Candy Monroe of Cadillac spent the weekend at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Henig.

Susan Nicholas celebrated her 17th birthday at a family dinner on February 7, 1979 with her parents, Dale and Helen Nicholas and brothers and guests were her aunt and uncle, Tony and Sandy Nicholas and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon LaDuke and family were in Sault Ste. Marie this past week-end visiting their parents, the Vernon LaDuke, Sr., and the George Bosbous.

Pam Williams visited her grandmother, Mrs. Louise Harris in Bay City the past weekend.

Marianne Knepp and son Bob, spent the week-end with her parents, George and Helen Daniels at Sanford Lake.

We'd like to wish Amy Gothro a Happy 90th Birthday on February 20!

The Melvin Nunn family were in Big Rapids on Sunday, February 11 to attend the Ferris State College Concert Choir program in which their daughter Penny, participated.

## Family Twosome Bowling Tournaments

Congratulations to the following first place winners in the Family Twosome Tournament held at Legion Lanes.

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1242-Mother-Son Division  
Cory & Mary Weaver-1163  
Mother-Daughter Division  
Jason Neilson & Carl Griffith  
1213-Father-Son Division  
Dalynn & Tom Grant-1157  
Father-Daughter Division

Prep Division  
Scott & Carolyn Colleen-1222  
Mother-Son Division  
Mary & Francis Shiros-1254  
Mother-Daughter Division

Deirdre DePaloe & Toc Ocker-1303-Father-Son Division  
Lisa & Duke Lamotte-1182  
Father-Daughter Division

Major-Junior Division  
Ken & Peggy Martin-1231  
Mother-Son Division

Miranda Canfield & Marilee Cheney-1146-Mother-Daughter Division

Rich & Tom Grant-1279-Father-Son Division

Dawn Weaver & Keith Young-1149-Father-Daughter Division

We appreciate all the people that kept score for the Family Twosome Tournaments.

There were 55 patches awarded for "I Beat My Coach". Nice bowling kids.

The Grayling WIBC again this year gave a donation to the Youth Bowling and it is very much appreciated.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

There will be two (2) public hearings held for the purposes of inviting public input on the development of an Urban Development Action Grant application by the City of Grayling to be used for economic development purposes.

The hearing will be held on Friday, February 23rd at Crawford Co. Court House Jury Room at 3 p.m. and at 7 p.m.

L/S Derek E. McEvers,  
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## Soil Conservation Projects Completed

by Joe Schrader

A two-year CETA, Title 6 project that spanned the past two summers resulted in numerous improvements thru-out the Grayling area. Buzz Long, District conservationist for Crawford County, reported recently that the following projects had been completed by his team's 13-man crew:

- Completion of an erosion prevention project behind Grayling's City Building.

- Tree planting at the old landfill, beach grass on the banks of Leach Lagoon and installation of stairway and fencing behind the elementary school.

- Installation of a chain link fence at Wakely Bridge and placement of six grills and the same amount of picnic tables for visitor enjoyment.

- Construction of stairways, and a landing at the fishing site walkway at Daisy Bend on the South Branch of the AuSable River.

- At Mead's Landing, installation of a stairway, fencing improvements plus mulching and seeding.

- Installation of a boundary

fence at Shupac Lake, repair of boat ramp and installation of 13 stairways.

According to Long, all thirteen employees involved in the Crawford County projects were from the Grayling area and were supervised by Lee Kaufman, who received

letters of appreciation from the city, Huron Pines Resource Conservation & Development Dept. and the D.N.R. here in Grayling. He also received a special recognition award from the Soil Conservation Dept. for all efforts by his CETA crew.



A GRAYLING C.E.T.A. PROJECT shown here right after completion. (Photo courtesy of Buzz Long)

The Avalanche - Your Want Ad Paper

### Opens Shop In Owosso

Unique Inc. is the name of the gift shop and tour service that Helen Campbell (formerly Moon) and husband Bill have opened in Owosso.

It is located in the storefront facility of Wesley Center Inn which Helen manages and handles unique and original creations of the artist and craftsman, reproductions, as well as antiques. Many items are one of a kind and include some Norman Rockwell prints.

The tour service is designed to take groups on trips arranged by Unique Inc. on the 36 passenger Charter Bus, recently purchased. Tours are planned to Detroit to see "Annie", the Jesus '79 Festival in Orlando and will be used by SpringVale Academy for their singing tours across the country. It is also booked for the "Ichthus" Festival in Kentucky which many Grayling area residents will attend, including Helen's daughter and son-in-law Pat and Debbie Callahan.

A new 1979 Citabria by Bellanca will also be used by Unique Inc., the 2-seater plane will be used for advance booking of tours as well as for aerial photography, with Bill doing both the flying and photography until Helen completes flight instruction.

The Campbells are looking forward to having Graylingites stop by and see the shop when in the Owosso area and visiting when in Grayling. Just keep a look out for the blue and white striped airplane!

### La Leche League Meeting Notice

"Nutrition and Weaning" will be the topic for discussion at the March meeting of Roscommon La Leche League. The meeting will be held on Thursday, March 1 at 7:30 p.m. at 8085 N. Everett Road, Roscommon. This is the last meeting of this series; a new series will begin in April in Prudenville. The discussion will include suggestions about nutrition for nursing mothers and their families, as well as information about weaning the breastfed baby. Expectant mothers are encouraged to attend the series of meetings before the baby arrives. Nursing babies are always welcome. For further information, or for breastfeeding help, call 275-8431.

### Hot Lunch Menu

Monday: Macaroni & Cheese, Buttered Green Beans, Fruit, Bread & Butter.  
Tuesday: Spanish Rice, Corn, Peaches, Bread & Butter.  
Wednesday: Hamburg Gravy Mashed Potatoes, Jello/Fruit Bread and Butter.  
Thursday: Lasagna, Applesauce, Beets, Bread & Butter.  
Friday: Fishwiches-Tartar sauce Buttered Vegetable, Pickles, Fruit.  
Milk is served with all meals. Menu is subject to change without notice.

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to especially thank Dr. Henig, the doctors and staff at Mercy Hospital. Also my friends for their cards, gifts and visits.  
Eunice Slusser

### Waters Lions Club To Hold Fish Frys

The Waters Lions will hold Fish Frys on Fridays, beginning on Friday, February 23, 1979, from 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Fish, French Fries, Cole Slaw and Hot Rolls-all you can eat-\$3.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children up to 12.

The Fish Frys will be held at the Horse Shoe Lake Inn, located 2 miles south of Waters on Old 27 between Grayling and Gaylord.

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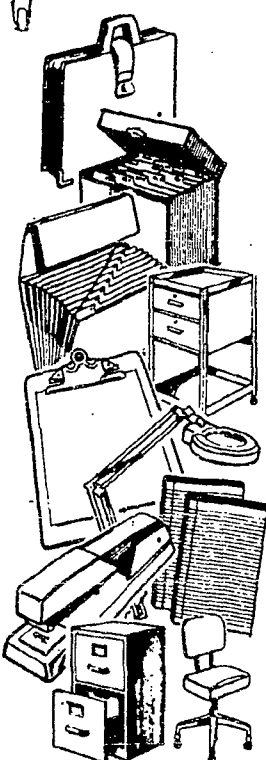
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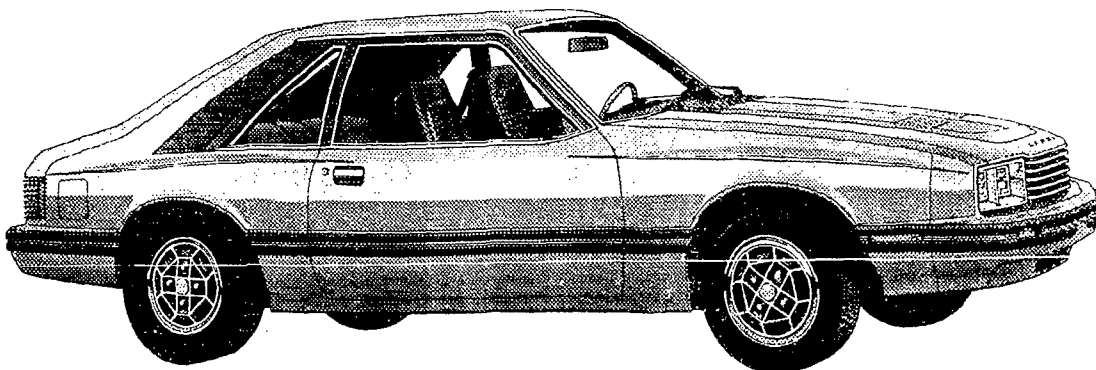
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## City Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, February 12, 1979.

Members present: Westervelt, Golinick, Thompson  
Members absent: McEvers, Failing  
Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer, Ilene Geiss, Walter Nowak, Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce, Jana Ludeman, Steve Nelson, Barb Cook, Terry Messerschmidt and Cindy Bellanger.

Motion by Westervelt, supported by Thompson that the minutes of the meeting of January 29, 1979 be approved as corrected. (Item 7 b - change instructed to authorized).

There were no citizens present who wished to speak.  
Communications were received and noted:  
From City Treasurer re: Monthly financial report.  
From MML re: Advance notice of dues for 1979-1980.

**Old Business**  
Discussion took place concerning city water and sewer policies. Motion by Westervelt, supported by Thompson that the decision on the water policy be tabled until the last meeting in March. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

The City Manager reported to Council on the status of the Industrial Park expansion plans. He stated that he has still not heard from the DNR about the proposed land trade. Several people are working on it but we have no results. Mr. Thompson suggested the possibility of selling the six acres we have offered to trade.

Mr. Morford stated that he had not received an answer to his questions to Bankers Life Co. about the insurance program.

**New Business**  
Council discussed City priorities for the coming fiscal year. Mr. Morford passed out a draft sheet of department activities for Council's information. Mr. Thompson asked about the special meeting to talk about Acts 198 and 255 which was discussed at the last meeting. Mr. Morford will supply Council with additional copies of Public Acts 198 and 255. Mr. Morford was requested to set up a special meeting when all councilpersons can attend to discuss areas and criteria for consideration of Act 198 and 255 when requested by developers.

Public employee liability insurance was discussed. The City Manager has forwarded the information to the MML for evaluation. The problem of delinquent water/sewer bills was examined by the Council. The City Manager reported that we regularly mail approximately eighty shut off notices. Of these about 70-75 will pay before the five-day shut-off.

Mr. Morford reported that the MSHD Act 51 report has been filed. Motion by Westervelt, supported by Golinick that Jerry W. Morford be designated as Street Administrator. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

**Reports of Councilmen**  
Mrs. Westervelt asked about the time schedule for hiring a police officer. Mr. Morford replied that he has hired Robert Harper and expects him to start work within the next two weeks.

Mr. Golinick noted that the dinner honoring the firemen will be held March 3, 1979 at the American Legion.

**Reports of City Manager**  
MSH re: No turn on red at M-72 east.  
Possible use of Bear Buildings.  
Managers conference.

Settlement of old Workers Compensation Claim.  
Use of city sewer by septic tank cleaner.  
Grayling Recreation Authority activities.

Cable T.V.  
Airport budget report.  
Several legislative matters.

Adjournment  
Motion by Westervelt, supported by Thompson that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 8:55 P.M.

Jerry W. Morford  
City Manager & City Clerk

## Road Commission Minutes

February 9, 1979

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held in their office in Grayling. Chairman Richter presiding. Present were Chairman Ervin E. Richter, Commissioners Gloria Kraus and Grover Cason, Manager Charles Fox, Secretary Lorna Bernard, Absent Engineer Ron Henke.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read, Ervin Richter made a motion to accept the minutes as read with one addition: seconded by Gloria Kraus, all voted in favor, motion carried.

The Board discussed the Vacationland Conference of the County Road Association scheduled for February 22, at the Grayling Holiday Inn, and it was decided to invite the Crawford County Board of Commissioners and the Township Supervisors to attend the meeting.

An inquiry was received from Larry Mattis, Chairman of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners as to the status of the Right of way and the location of trees along North Down River Rd. West of the I-75 Business Loop and South of the Airport. The map's show that it is a certified County Road for 0.47 miles, but it appears that the trees are not in the right of way.

A request was received from the County Road Association of Michigan to name a contact person for the Road Commission in the event of a County Road Litter pickup campaign. It was decided to name the manager as the contact person.

After discussion on equipment needs and repairs, the manager was authorized by the Board to repair a Truck Engine, also an underbody scraper, hanger board and hinges.

Douglas Dossan, Attorney, appeared before the Board and discussed the available alternatives in the Charabowski case. After discussion, a motion was made by Gloria Kraus to authorize Mr. Dossan to take the case to the Court of appeals, supported by Grover Cason. All voted in favor motion carried.

The Board broke for lunch and before returning to the office went on a tour of inspection with manager Charles Fox. They inspected Four Mile Rd. between I-75 and Staley Lake Rd. between Staley Lake Rd. and Staley Lake Rd. between Four Mile Rd. and M-72.

Upon returning to the office they convened their meeting at 1:30 and discussed the request that had been made by the Grayling Township Board that Staley Lake Road from M-72 East to Four Mile Rd be reclassified as a Primary Rd. The Board decided not to request the Michigan Department of Transportation to reclassify the above road at this time.

A discussion was held on the need of a center for service and maintenance of heavy equipment. It was decided to install needed equipment and lighting in the North East corner of the storage building on East M-72.

A communication was received from Bay Truck Sales informing the Road Commission that G.M.C. could not provide the tilt hood on trucks with an extended frame as originally bid. It was decided that it was in the best interest of the Road Commission to accept the trucks with the tilt hood and a modified "Bolt on" frame extension.

There was a written request from the State Highway Department to renew the lease for parking their trailer office on our property for another year. The present lease expires March 31, 1979. The Board agreed to renew the lease.

A letter was received by the Board to plow Walsh Road North of Townline Rd. in Lovells Township. The Board instructed Charles Fox to write a letter stating that the Road Commission would not be able to open the road at this late date, but if a request is made next fall the Road Commission will keep that portion of the road opened. However such request will be done after regular maintenance is finished.

A discussion was held on expenditures by the manager without Board consent. Ervin Richter made a motion that the Manager would be authorized to approve the individual expenditures up to \$1,000. This revised the resolution of August 13, 1976, page 363 of book 5 of the minutes. Seconded by Gloria Kraus, all voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 3:30 PM Ervin Richter made a motion to close the doors for a personnel meeting, seconded by Grover Cason. All voted in favor, doors closed.

After the closed door session the doors were opened at 4:30 p.m. and Gloria Kraus made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Grover Cason, all voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Ervin Richter, Chairman  
Lorna Bernard, Secretary

## from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

February 23, 1847 — General Zachary Taylor and his American soldiers defeat General Santa Anna at the Battle of Buena Vista, Mexico.

February 24, 1942 — The Voice of America, the worldwide radio network operated by the U.S. government, goes on the air for the first time.

February 25, 1919 — Oregon becomes the first state to tax gasoline as motorists are assessed a one per cent levy.

## Wood-Burning Stoves Back Home Again

by Willard Bosserman  
County Extension Director

That romantic wood-burning stove of the little house on the prairie era is back home again, this time to help modern homeowners fight high fuel bills.

For maximum comfort and safety, install and use the equipment properly, says Henry A. Huber, Forestry specialist at Michigan State University.

First, make sure the stove is free of defects like cracks or faulty hinges. For safety, it should be installed on a noncombustible hearth, at least three feet away from walls or other combustible materials in all directions.

The hearth should extend at least one foot beyond all sides of the stove except at the loading door, where the extension should be 18 inches. A 24-inch clearance is required between walls and any part of the stove pipe to meet Underwriters Laboratory standards for proper installation.

Check the stove chimney regularly for an accumulation of soot or creosote and clean it, if necessary. Clean the chimney at least once a year, or after every two cords of wood you burn.

Use a chimney for only one heating device. A class 'A' factory-built chimney may be used if it's properly installed according to building code instructions and the manufacturer's label.

"The major source of fires connected with wood-burning stoves is poor installation, not defects in the stoves themselves," Huber notes.

The stovepipe should be installed with no more than two elbows. A draft regulator, like a damper, should be installed in one part of the stovepipe. Make sure the stovepipe is free of leaks, with the joints tight. It should not go through a floor or ceiling but may pass through a wall if a metal, ventilated thimble is used.

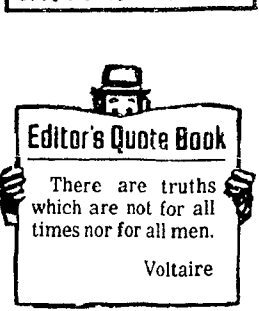
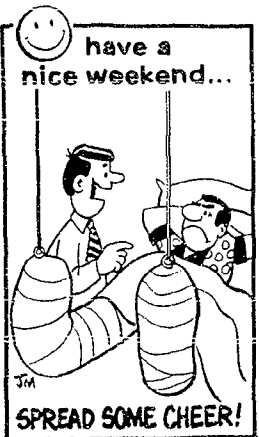
Once the stove is in working order, make sure you know how to use it properly. The best wood to use in the stove has been cut and stored at least nine months before burning. Adding small amounts of wood frequently will maintain an even, medium hot fire.

Never use kerosene or other flammable fluids to start a fire. Instead, use kindling wood or a small amount of dry paper. To prevent the fire from becoming too intense, do not burn trash in the stove.

Place ashes in a metal container with a tight lid. Clean up any ashes or cinders that spill out on the floor immediately to avoid damage to carpeting or the chance of fire.

If a fire does start in the chimney, dump a large amount of ashes, sand or coarse salt in the stove's fire chamber to contain it and call the fire department.

A smoke detector is a recommended addition to any home with a wood-burning stove. However, the detector should not be placed too near the stove, to prevent false alarms whenever more wood is added to the fire.



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Real	45.66	1.0951
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Township Clerk

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### BOARD OF REVIEW

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	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	30.30	1.6500
Personal	50.00	1.0000

HELEN SPENCER  
Township Clerk

FREDERICK SCHAIBLY  
Supervisor

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### BOARD OF REVIEW

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	Tentative Ratio	Factor
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LARRY HUNTER  
Equalization Director

## Editor's Mailbox

Crawford Co. Avalanche  
224 Michigan Ave.  
Grayling, Mich. 49738  
Dear Whitley,

I would like to express a comment about the Federal Court Suit being filed against the Board of Commissioners, Sheriff Curt Haas, Undersheriff Joseph White.

First to let people know that I have 4 year experience working in a Federal Correctional Institution both in the United States and overseas, so I've seen both the "Big House" and small detention facilities and can speak with some facts about a Correctional Institution.

First an inmate is incarcerated as punishment not for punishment. The punishment is being away from family and friends and not doing things in the normal every day way. If they want all of the good things why didn't they think of that before committing the crime they are charged with.

The Bay City Times, Feb. 13, 1979, listed some complaints about no daily exercise area, sure there nice but from my experience you usually have to force an inmate outside and then when he gets outside they just sit there and complain about it being to cold or to hot out.

Contaminated food is quite ridiculous. If the food was contaminated it sure wouldn't be served to an inmate. There are county jails in California that their meals are TV dinners in which the inmate gets a TV dinner and that's all, now that's small portions. In an overseas jail the inmates get a egg sandwich for a meal. At least the meals in the jail here are cooked and put together not served in a TV dinner. The meals here are also served on trays, and if the food was contaminated wouldn't the sheriff know about it since he eats the same food too?

I'm very sure that if an inmate got injured that the Sheriff Dept. would call a doctor to give medical attention to the individual. Why does an inmate need a physical to be incarcerated if the individual is physically fit enough to commit a crime he sure is physically fit to lie in a cell and do nothing. Doesn't the judge recommend to the county if some one needs a mental exam?

Legal advisors are very busy people, and because they have one client in jail doesn't mean that he can spend all of his time there, he probably has a few other clients also. Some individuals wouldn't be pleased with ones counseling advice anyway and would want more until one tells him what he wants to hear. Now a law library would be nice but how many individuals would use it, or even understand what it says.

The one item about a crime that has always astonished me is that the criminal always feels that he is mistreated and his family and friends feel that things are unjust. But did they ever think of their victims. What about the victims who lost all their possessions, or one of their family members life who's life was taken? Nobody reimburses the victim, not the state, county, or city, and surely nobody can bring back the life of one who is gone. Yes what about the victims rights?

Concerned Citizen  
Name Withheld  
by Request

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank my family and friends for their flowers, cards and gifts during my recent stay in the hospital. The staff in the Intensive Care Unit are really a great team of nurses, plus all the crew in the North Wing did a nice job of making me comfortable.

Thanks so much,  
Evelyn Stephan

## White Pine Stampede Success Aided by Throngs of Volunteers

White Pine Stampede officials would like to acknowledge the following businesses and individuals for their help in promoting the "best ever event": Transportation - Dial-A-Ride- Providing the warming van-Lt. Co. Michael McNamara, John L. Well, Thomas Brooks and Martin Niemann; Traffic Control Safety-Sheriff Curt Haas, Dean Goss and Arthur Clough.

Gus Konopnicki, Race Chairman especially thanks M & M Excavating of Otsego Lake, and Matt Nowicki in particular for his help in road plowing assistance.

Trail grooming efforts by the D.N.R. by Robert Borak, Charles Bowmaster, Robert Blenz, Bill Tarr, Duane Brooks, Roger Myskier, Terry Johnston and Keith Carter were also welcomed.

Also acknowledged for their efforts were Walter Nowak, Joyce Kolka and Lorraine Lawrence from the Chamber of Commerce, Harry Becker of Shell Oil and Chuck Vickery and Carpenter, Amoco Oil Co. for their use of oil wells as checkpoints. Others mentioned for credit include Jack Alef, Grayling State Bank, Rep. Ralph Ostling, the Holiday Inn of Grayling, Radio stations WGRY and WQON, Whitey Madsen and Joe Schrader of the Avalanche; members of the ASSERT Club, Charles Ryan, Charles R. (Bobbie) Ryan Jr., Gordon Mosher, Chuck Stoddard, Kenneth Halstead and Harold Strouse.

At the Deward Finish Line, refreshments were provided by

the Frederic Hobby Club, including such fine people as Betty Wargo, Debra Weaver, Muriel Leng, Sue Hagle, Eunice Barker, Dean Hulsman, Renee Campeau, Denise Campeau, Sherree Campeau, and Cheryl Campeau. The Cross Country Ski Shop, Dick Fultz, provided spare skis and poles.

So did Summit Sports of Gaylord, while Jim Welch and Camp Shawono was on hand to help out as well. First Aid facilities along the route were provided by Mercy Hospital nurses and staff, including Colleen VanNuck, Kay Stultz, Mike Parent and Linda Remsing.

Trail clearing goes to the Grayling High Goal Program including such persons as Mike Delp, John Cottrill, Steve Danbury, Lisa Stephan, Fran Yates, Joanne Isenhauser, Scott Cross and Merrie Straley.

Kickoff Breakfast credit goes to Harold Breckrow of the San Short Restaurant. Rod & Jean Denley and son Mike and daughter Debbie, along with Karen Tobin manned check point #1. Others at the various checkpoints included, Dennis Watt, Bob Cole, Ernie Dawson, Carol Lee, Michelle Lee, Eileen Traylor, Kenny Halstead, Dave Whitse, Janet Kucharek, Darlene Weaver, Clairene Priebe, Nancy

Howe, Darlene Rowan, Kathleen Marshall, Debbie Smith, Joanne Troxel, Loren Marvin, Joanne Perry, Karen Revitzer, Myrna Newberry, John Seifert, Leo Cavanaugh, George Pamerleau, Howard VanDewater, Clarence (Whitey) Burse.

Overall general help was provided by John & Judy Mertes. Snowmobiles to aid skiers were provided by Jerry Pratt, Alan Long, Eddie Martindale, Morris Alma, John Roed and Roy Black.

Konopnicki also extended a "special thanks" to his daughter Gussy and wife, Beryl who he proclaimed a "WHITE PINE STAMPED WIDOW," for her patience the past three years.

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank Dr. Rost and the excellent staff at Mercy Hospital, all our friends, neighbors and relatives.

The Family of  
Charles DeRousha  
Tiny and Everett

### CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to the Frederic ambulance team; Al Leng, Sally Weaver and John St. John, for their prompt and courteous service for Bobby Sellers.

Thank you,  
Connie Sellers

## GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

### BOARD OF REVIEW

Will meet on March 12th and 13th from 9:30 a.m. to 12 Noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Grayling City Hall to meet with taxpayers.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	46.07	1.0852
Personal	50.00	1.0000

ELIZABETH WIELAND  
Township Clerk

BERNARD FOWLER  
Supervisor

## OBITUARIES

### Anthony J. Trudeau Succumbs Feb. 13

Anthony (Tony) J. Trudeau, a lifelong resident of Grayling died Tuesday, February 13, 1979 at home. Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 17, 1979 at Sorenson Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Taylor officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Tony was born in Cheboygan on March 6, 1899 and had been employed as a photographer and river guide. He and Edna, were married on December 25, 1921 in Grayling.

Survivors include his wife, Edna; a son, Anthony J.; three sisters, two brothers; 6 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

### Counties Share Fuel-Tax Revenues

Record numbers of cars and trucks traveling Michigan highways increased state fuel tax collections by 4.3 percent in the last quarter of 1978 (October-December), compared to the same period of 1977, the Michigan Transportation Commission reported today.

Increases in vehicles and miles traveled pushed revenues from gas and diesel fuel taxes to \$114,083,545, up by \$4,737,713 from the final quarter of 1977.

Weight tax (license plate) collections moved up by 25.6 percent, the result of increases included in the package of transportation bills passed by the Legislature in the fall. The new fees went into effect when 1979 license plates went on sale Nov. 1. Fuel tax increases began Jan. 1.

Weight taxes for the quarter totaled \$36,458,789, compared with \$29,038,041 in 1977.

Miscellaneous revenue and interest earned on highway user taxes totaled \$4,804,330. Revenues from all sources added up to \$155,346,666, a nine percent increase from 1977.

All the money goes into the Michigan Transportation Fund, which replaces the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund. After deduction of 10,420,059 for various grants and collection costs totaling \$7.59 million, the \$144,926,069 remaining will be distributed according to formula.

The new Comprehensive Transportation Fund financing public transportation and rail programs will receive \$12,033,588, or 8.3 percent of the total.

The State Trunkline (highway) Fund will receive \$55,646,886 as its 38.4 percent share. The 83 county road commissions will collect \$49,709,642 as their 34.3 portion while the 531 incorporated cities and villages will receive \$27,535,953 as their 19 percent share.

Crawford County will receive a total of \$173,773, while neighboring counties like Kalkaska will net \$206,666, Otsego, \$113,190 and Roscommon County, \$217,558. The City of Grayling itself will receive \$11,553

11 Crawford County Avalanche Thursday, February 22, 1979

## MAPLE FOREST TWP.

### BOARD OF REVIEW

Will meet on March 12th and 13th from 9 a.m. to 12 Noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., and March 14th from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Township Hall to meet with taxpayers.

	Tentative Ratio	Factor
Real	39.80	1.2561
Personal	50.00	1.0000

SUSAN M. KEENE  
Township Clerk

DEAN MOLNAR  
Supervisor

## FREDERIC TWP. NOTICE

The Frederic Township Board of Review Meeting will be held at the Frederic Township Hall, Frederic, Mich. The meeting will start at 9:00 a.m., March 6, 1979 and end at 5:00 p.m. March 26, 1979.

Note: The Frederic Township Board of Review may recess and/or conduct business other than the times and dates listed below.

### DATES AND TIMES OF INTEREST

March 6, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Organizational meeting & assessment roll review.  
March 7, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Assessment roll review.  
March 12, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Meeting with property owners to review individual assessments.  
March 13, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Meeting with property owners to review individual assessments.  
March 24, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Meeting with property owners to review individual assessments.  
March 26, 5:00 p.m. Adjournment.

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FISCAL YR. ORDINANCE

Adopted: 2-13-79  
Effective: 2-22-79  
An Ordinance to establish the fiscal year of the Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Mich. and the annual settlement day for such Township pursuant to Michigan Public Act 596 of 1978.

Section I  
Commencing in 1979, the fiscal year of the Township shall extend from July 1 of each year until June 30 of the following year. Any preexisting Township budget lawfully adopted by the Township Board shall be proportionately extended to coincide with the foregoing new fiscal year periods.

Section II  
The annual settlement day meeting of the Township Board shall hereafter be held on the 15th day of the last month of the fiscal year of the Township unless said day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday whereupon said meeting shall be held on the following Monday which is not a legal holiday.

Section III  
The annual meeting of the electors of the Township, where the same has not been abolished, shall be held on the last Saturday in the last month of the aforesaid fiscal year at such time and place as is determined by the Township Board.

Section IV  
This Ordinance shall take immediate effect. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Mildred Harmer  
Township Clerk

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for  
the County of Crawford  
Estate of Bertha Hanson,  
Deceased TRUST UNDER ITEM  
V OF THE WILL

File No. 3156  
TAKE NOTICE: On March 9, 1979, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the City of Grayling, Michigan, before the Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Second National Bank of Saginaw for allowance of their Eleventh and Final Account as Trustee of the Trust under item V of the Will.

Dated: February 8, 1979  
Second National Bank of Saginaw, Petitioner  
101 North Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, Michigan 48607  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Hugo E. Braun, Jr. (P11145)  
Braun, Kendrick, Finkbeiner,  
Schafer & Murphy  
312 Second National Bank Bldg  
Saginaw, Mich. 48607

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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In the Circuit Court for  
the County of Crawford  
ORDER TO ANSWER

File No. 79-004-123DM  
Don Franklin, Assay, Plaintiff,  
-vs-  
JoAnn Elizabeth Assay, Defendant.  
On February 5, 1979, an action was filed by Don Franklin Assay, Plaintiff, against JoAnn Elizabeth Assay, Defendant, in this Court to obtain a divorce.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, JoAnn Elizabeth Assay shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before April 2, 1979. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

Date of Order: February 5, 1979  
William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
John B. Huss,  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Hess, Huss & Dossion  
Grayling Mini Mall  
P.O. Box 32  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
577-348-9821

15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In the Circuit Court for  
the County of Crawford  
ORDER TO ANSWER

Norma J. Hodges, Plaintiff,  
-vs-  
James Wallace Hodges, Defendant.

File No. 79-004-109-DM  
On January 12, 1979, an action was filed by Norma J. Hodges, Plaintiff, against James Wallace Hodges, Defendant, in this Court to obtain custody of the minor children.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, James Wallace Hodges, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before April 2, 1979. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
John B. Huss,  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Grayling Mini Mall  
P.O. Box 32  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
577-348-9821

15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

OF LAND CONTRACT

TO Joseph G. Zacek and  
Lulubelle Zacek, 3307 Marathon  
Road, Columbiaville, Michigan

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED

that a certain land contract bearing date September 28, 1973 by and between Harold M. Guedry and Cynthia M. Guedry parties of the first part, and Joseph G. Zacek and Lulubelle Zacek, husband and wife parties of the second part, is in default by reason of the non-payment of the installments of principal and interest and other sums, if any, due thereunder on the dates and in the amounts set out hereafter. The amount of unpaid land contract payments total 14 payments of \$30.00 each payable on the 4th day of month, purchaser being in default for a total of \$420.00.

AND TAXES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$113.78 AS OF FEBRUARY 28, 1978.

You are hereby notified that the said Harold M. Guedry elects to declare and does hereby declare said land contract forfeited, effective in 15 days after service of this notice; and you are hereby further notified that unless the money required to be paid is paid and any other alleged material breaches of the contract are cured, that you are to yield, surrender and deliver up possession of the premises in said land contract mentioned and of which you are now in possession under and by virtue of the terms thereof.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that from and after the service of this Notice, you will be liable for damages which the undersigned may suffer by reason of your continued possession of said premises in accordance with Act 166 of the 1943 Public Acts of the State of Michigan.

Said premises are described in said land contract as follows: viz. The SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 34, T28N, R3W, having the dimensions as shown by the recorded survey thereof and embracing 10.02 acres. Also being known as Parcel "B" in the Township of Maple Forest, County of Crawford, and State of Michigan.

This Notice of Publication is made pursuant to MSA 26.1171 and MCLA 554.301  
Business Address:  
500 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
David R. Sabin, P.C.  
Attorney for Seller  
15-22-1

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for

the County of Crawford

Estate of Betty M. Strube  
File No. 3762

TAKE NOTICE: On April 30, 1979, at 2:00 P.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the City of Grayling, Michigan, before the Hon. Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Phyllis Darling for granting administration to Phyllis Darling of Oak Park, Michigan, or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said Phyllis Darling at 24060 Manistee, Oak Park, Michigan and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before April 30, 1979. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons determined of record entitled thereto.

Dated: February 8, 1979  
Phyllis Darling, Petitioner  
24060 Manistee  
Oak Park, Michigan  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Hess, Huss & Dossion  
John B. Huss  
Grayling Mini Mall  
P.O. Box 32  
Grayling, Michigan and  
319 Lake Street  
Roscommon, Michigan 48653  
Phone 517/348-9821 &  
577-275-5184

15-22-1

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for

the County of Crawford

Dan Reed King, Plaintiff  
-vs-  
Patricia Jean King, Defendant

ORDER TO ANSWER  
On the 17th day of October, 1978, an action was filed by Dan Reed King, Plaintiff against Patricia Jean King, Defendant, in this Court to dissolve the bonds of matrimony between Plaintiff and Defendant.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Patricia Jean King, address unknown, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 22nd day of March, 1979. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

Dated: January 24, 1979  
William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
David R. Sabin, P.C.  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
500 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738

15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for

the County of Crawford

ORDER TO ANSWER

Norma J. Hodges, Plaintiff,  
-vs-  
James Wallace Hodges, Defendant.

File No. 79-004-109-DM  
On January 12, 1979, an action was filed by Norma J. Hodges, Plaintiff, against James Wallace Hodges, Defendant, in this Court to obtain custody of the minor children.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, James Wallace Hodges, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before April 2, 1979. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
John B. Huss,  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Grayling Mini Mall  
P.O. Box 32  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
577-348-9821

15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for

the County of Crawford

Sidney Aldrich and Georgia  
Aldrich, husband and wife,  
and Macie Carducci, Plaintiffs,  
-vs-  
Elmus L. Brown, a single man,  
Defendant.

ORDER TO ANSWER

On 16th January, 1979, an action was filed by Sidney Aldrich and Georgia Aldrich, husband and wife, and Macie Carducci, Plaintiffs, against Elmus L. Brown, a single man, Defendant, in this Court, to foreclose a purported land contract dated September 9, 1976, for the sale of land situated in South Branch Township, Crawford County, Michigan, and described as follows:

Parcel "A", beginning at the West 1/4 corner of Section 32, T25N, R1W; thence S86°39'30"E along East and West 1/4 line 3/4.0 feet; thence S1°04'29.2"E along East and West 1/4 line 370.0 feet; thence N86°36'W 370.0 feet; thence N1°04'W along Section line 235.9 feet to P.O.B. AND Parcel "B" commencing at the West 1/4 corner of Section 32, T25N, R1W; thence S86°39'30"E along East and West 1/4 line 370.0 feet to the P.O.B.; thence S86°39'30"E along East and West 1/4 line 370.0 feet; thence S1°04'29.2"E along East and West 1/4 line 370.0 feet; thence N86°36'W 370.0 feet; thence N1°04'W 296.2 feet to the P.O.B. Both Parcels being a part of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 32, and containing 2.51 acres each. Parcel "A" is subject to a 33 ft. easement on the North and West sides thereof for Roadway purposes. Parcel "B" is subject to an easement for Roadway purposes over the North 33.0 feet thereof.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, Elmus L. Brown, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before March 19, 1979, at 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Dated: This 19th day of January, 1979.

William A. Porter  
Circuit Judge  
James R. Deamud - Attorney  
for Plaintiff  
Business Address:  
3508 West Houghton Lake Drive  
Post Office Box 248  
Prudenville, Michigan 48651  
Telephone (517) 366-8032  
8-15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

OF LAND CONTRACT

TO Louis E. and Michelle R.  
Flood, his Wife, P.O. Box 166,  
Grayling, Michigan 49738.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED

that a certain land contract bearing date May 13, 1977 by and between Harold M. and Cynthia M. Guedry, parties of the first part, and Louis E. and Michelle R. Flood, his wife, parties of the second part, is in default by reason of the non-payment of the installments of principal and interest and other sums, if any, due thereunder on the dates and in the amounts set out hereafter: The amount of unpaid land contract payments total 14 payments of \$50.00 each payable on the 15th day of each month, purchaser being in default for a total of \$700.00, and you are hereby notified that the said Harold M. Guedry elects to declare and does hereby declare said land contract forfeited, effective in 15 days after service of this notice; and you are hereby further notified that unless the money required to be paid is paid and any other alleged material breaches of the contract are cured, that you are to yield, surrender and deliver up possession of the premises in said land contract mentioned and of which you are now in possession under and by virtue of the terms thereof.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that from and after the service of this Notice, you will be liable for damages which the undersigned may suffer by reason of your continued possession of said premises in accordance with Act 166 of the 1943 Public Acts of the State of Michigan.

Said premises are described in said land contract as follows: viz: Parcel "L" - The South 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 21, Town 28 North, Range 3 West, containing 10.03 acres, in the Township of Maple Forest, County of Crawford and State of Michigan.

Dated: January 31, 1979.  
This Notice of Publication is made pursuant to MSA 26.1171 and MCLA 554.301.  
Attorney for Seller  
David R. Sabin, P.C.  
500 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
517-348-5588

8-15-22

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for

the County of Crawford

Dan Reed King, Plaintiff  
-vs-  
Patricia Jean King, Defendant

ORDER TO ANSWER

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It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Patricia Jean King, address unknown, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 22nd day of March, 1979. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

Dated: January 24, 1979  
William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
David R. Sabin, P.C.  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
500 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738

15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for

the County of Crawford

ORDER TO ANSWER

Norma J. Hodges, Plaintiff,  
-vs-  
James Wallace Hodges, Defendant.

File No. 79-004-109-DM  
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William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
John B. Huss,  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
Grayling Mini Mall  
P.O. Box 32  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
577-348-9821

15-22-1-8

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for

the County of Crawford

ORDER TO ANSWER

Norma J. Hodges, Plaintiff,  
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William A. Porter,  
Circuit Judge  
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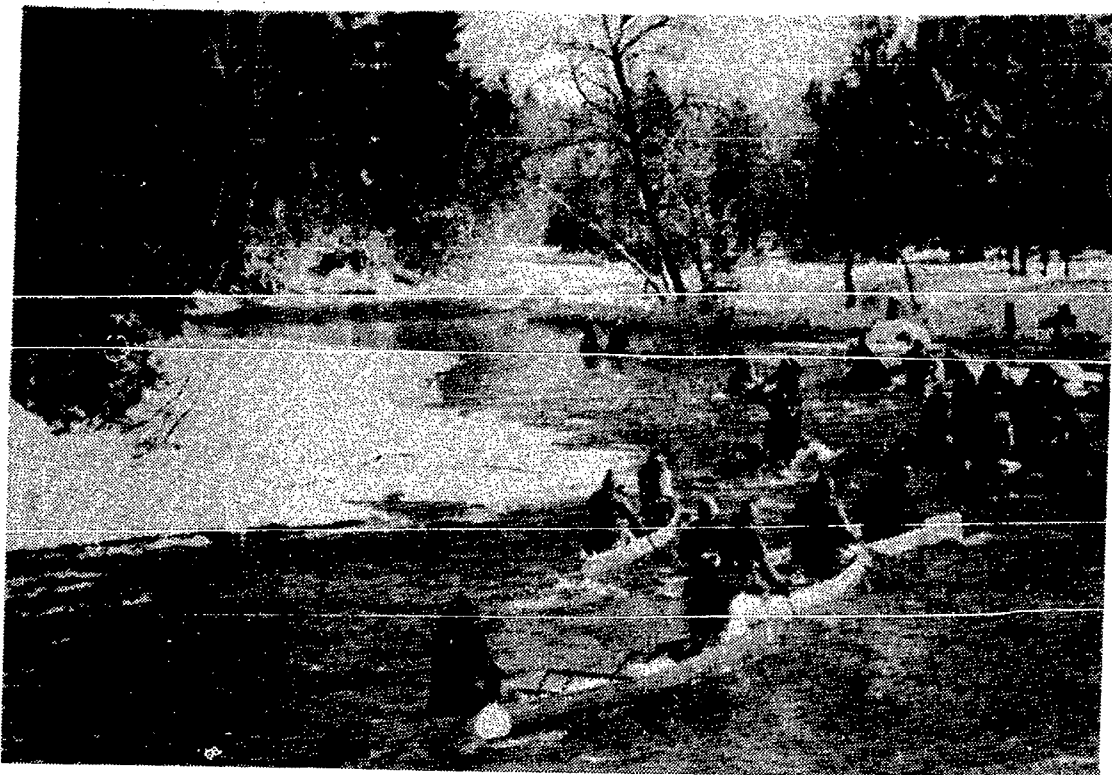
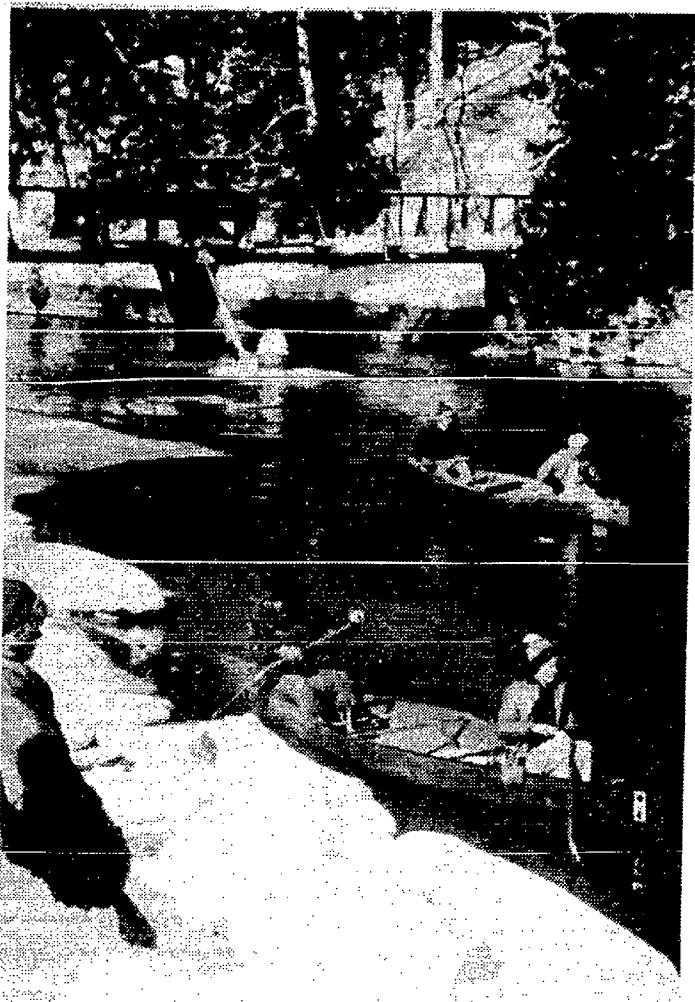
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# Winter Festival Photo Highlights...

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## DISTRICT DRAWING MONDAY

## Vike Cagers Nipped By Roscommon, 63-60

By Joe Schrader  
Grayling High Varsity cagers dropped two contests last week, the first to Roscommon in an away tilt, 63-60, described by Head Coach Fred Wolcott as "anybody's contest" and then a conference clash here at home against the Petoskey Northmen, 82-67 last Friday night.

Grayling will conclude its regular season Friday night against Boyne City on the road, and will await the results of the tournament draw scheduled next Monday in Gaylord. The Districts will be held in Gaylord beginning March 6th with other participating teams to include Cheboygan, Gaylord and Petoskey. The final game is scheduled for March 9th.

In Tuesday's loss to Roscommon, Geoff Stancil topped Vike scorers by hitting for 17 points, Mike Walsh tallied 14, Jeff Parkinson hit for 10. Other scorers for Grayling included Skip Olsen with 6 points, Mike Chrisman 5, Ken Helsel, 4; Mark Kibbe and Tim Krey, 2 apiece.

Jerome Moses led the Buck attack with 22 points and Eckeson tallied 21 for Roscommon.

In Friday's contest here at home against the Northmen, the Vikings fell victim to a hot-shooting Northern squad who hit 30 of 37 free throws, a torrid, 87%. Poor-

er shooting from the free-throw line (60%) for Wolcott's squad and a "not-so-hot" percentage from the floor (34%), contributed to the Viking loss. Stancil led the Vike offense again with 15 points, Skip Olsen hit for 14, Jeff Parkinson had 12, Ken Helsel, 11, Mike Walsh 6, Mike Chrisman 4 plus 12 rebounds, Tim Krey, 3; and Mark Kibbe 2.

In JV action, the team split a pair of preliminary contests, losing to Roscommon and winning an exciting overtime victory against Petoskey here Friday night, 63-57.

## Lovells News

On Thursday evening the Cheerful Givers Club met at the home of Mrs. June Hartwig with 10 members present. After the business meeting the ladies worked on quilt blocks and played cards. Later a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be on Friday evening, March 2nd at the club room.

Mrs. Vernie Hazzard was seriously injured in an automobile accident on Wednesday, February 14th; and is a patient at Osego Memorial Hospital in Gaylord. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery. Her room number is 402.

Pat Harwood is attending the R.E.A. convention in Houston, Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan were host at the card party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Deby Joynes, Ruth Caid, J.O. Nichols & John Campau. Mr. and Mrs. B. McGowan will host the party this week.

## OBITUARY

## Funeral Services For Former Resident

Funeral Services for Betty Ann Cornell of Romeo, were held Saturday Feb. 17th at Roth's Home For Funerals, Romeo. The Rev. Calvin Blue officiated, and burial followed in the Romeo Cemetery.

Mrs. Cornell was born July 26, 1939 in Grayling, and passed away Feb. 15th at Community Hospital, Romeo.

Surviving are her husband, James; one daughter, Vickie Sue; two sons, Carl and Crage all at home; her mother, Mrs. Madeline Decker of Grayling; two sisters, Ruth Hulzinga of Grand Rapids, Dorothy Moore of Marcellus, Mi. and one brother, Charles Decker of Grayling.

## Bits O'Talk

By Fay Bovee

Pauline Roberson is in the Community Memorial Hospital, Central 14, South Hill, Va. 22976 and would appreciate hearing from her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Piper are the proud parents of a beautiful baby girl. The little lady was born Monday, February 19, 1979 weighing 8 lbs. 12 ozs. and 23 inches long. Mother and baby are doing just fine. Congratulations Kathie and Gary!

Mary Jane Knibbs, and daughter, Holly, visited another daughter, Nancy Rosenberg, in Ann Arbor, over the weekend.

For news, call 348-7017 evenings.

## Crime Continues

According to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Crime Index published recently, one property crime is committed in this country every three seconds. In addition, one larceny theft is recorded every five seconds, one forcible rape every eight minutes, one murder every 27 minutes, one burglary every ten seconds, one motor vehicle accident every 33 seconds, one violent crime every 31 seconds, and one aggravated assault every minute!

Brownie Troop 143

## Brownie Scout Troop No. 143 News

January was filled with exciting meetings for Brownie Scout Troop 143. February seems just as busy.

January 10 we went bowling. Our scores didn't break any records but we had a lot of fun. January 23 we walked to Little Caesars after school for pizza. Would you believe we ate six pizzas.

January 30 we planned a Valentine party and made gifts for friends and family. We exchanged valentines and had a nice party on February 13.

February 27 we will have a program for our parents at which time we will each receive our World Association pin. These pins show we belong to a world wide movement of Girl Scouts and have an international friendship.

Girl Scout week is in March and one activity planned is an evening roller skating with all Crawford County Girl Scouts. We are looking forward to March.



Secretary of State Richard H. Austin shows kidney transplant recipient Tom Howe of Lansing the new organ donor stickers now being mailed with driver licenses. Drivers who wish to donate organs may attach the donor sticker to their license. Donor stickers and information also are available in any Secretary of State Branch office.

The Michigan Secretary of State, the Kidney Foundation of Michigan and the Transplantation Society of Michigan are cooperating in the new program to provide organ donor information to all Michigan drivers. Public Act 358 of 1976 provides for such information to be placed on licenses.

## MENU PLANNERS

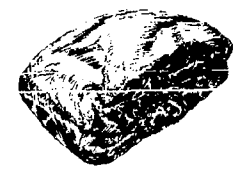


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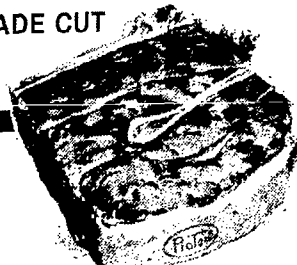
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